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BOOK AND JOB
PRINTING OFFICE!
Corner Spring and West Water Sts.

WE would intimate to our friends, both in town and country, that having added greatly to our facilities for doing Job Work, by the purchase of new material, we are prepared to execute, on the shortest notice, in the best style of the art, and on the most liberal terms, every variety of Printing such as

BOOKS, CARDS, OF ALL KINDS
PAMPHLETS, HANDBILLS,
LABELS, BILL & LETTER HEADS,
BALL TICKETS, BLANKS,
BANK CHECKS, BALLOTS, &c.
Also, PRINTING IN COLORS apl4

BUSINESS CARDS.

DOCTORS.

DOCTOR DOUGLAS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN—Office corner of Wisconsin and Main streets. Dr. D. has always on hand, Medicines in the various dilutions, and Cases for physicians and families.

DOCTOR J. P. GREVES,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON—Milwaukee street, between Wisconsin and Mason streets, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Office corner of Wisconsin and Main sts.

LAWYERS.

AMASA PAINE...BYRON PAINE...HORTENSIUS J. PAINE.
PAINE & SONS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, and Solicitors in Chancery—Office Juneau Block, Milwaukee.

JOHN P. HALE..........PETER STARR.
HALE & STARR,
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS,
NO. 35, WALL STREET .... NEW YORK

FINCH & LYNDE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW—Wisconsin street, above the Stage office.

G. VON DEUTSCH,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
mar15. Office—Martins Block, 1dtf
Corner of East Water and Wisconsin Streets.

CYRUS D. BOOTH,
NOTARY PUBLIC—At the Office of the "Free Democrat," Birchard's Block. je18

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. S. BROWN,
GUERRIAN GALLERY—Martin's Block, corner East Water and Wisconsin streets, Milwaukee. Persons visiting the city can have a good Likeness taken in a few minutes. Plates, Cases, Cameras, Chemicals, Gold Lockets, &c., for sale. Young men furnished with instruction and outfits complete.

ALEXANDER MARQUIS,
PORTRAIT PAINTER—Law Buildings, Wisconsin st. Milwaukee. nov21

P. L. MOSSIN,
ENGRAVER IN METALS AND WOOD—No. 8 Wisconsin street, opposite the Stage office, Milwaukee. Executes Official Seals, Notarial Seals, Seal Stamps for Societies; also, Stencils and Brands, and every kind of work in his line. feb20

P. BARKER,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN HATS, CAPS, MUFFS AND FURS—No. 194 East Water street, Milwaukee. Cash paid for Shipping Furs. june21-1y

J. C. GRIDLEY & CO.
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, Groceries, Crockery, &c., Ludington's Block, corner of East Water and Wisconsin street, Milwaukee.

RACINE HOUSE,
WM. L. UTLEY.
apr21d RACINE. WISCO

A. K. WILLIAMS,
DEALER IN HARDWARE—Also Agent for Pittsburgh Glass, No. 25 Spring street, first door east of American House, Milwaukee.

TURTON & SERCOMB,
EAGLE STEAM FOUNDRY—West Water street Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

C. OTT!
BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER,
KEEPS ON HAND all kinds of German Books, including the choicest German Works, in Poetry, Literature, Science and Theology, at 575 East Water street. January 1, 1855. jan4dly

J. F. BIRCHARD,
MANUFACTURER, and wholesale and retail dealer in Cabinet Ware, Sofas, Chairs, and Upholstery, No. 21 Spring street, (Birchard's Block,) Milwaukee. Splendid Fashionable Furniture, of the most graceful approved patterns, highly finished, made under the proprietor's personal supervision, of the very best materials, and by competent and experienced workmen. june28

WHITTEMORE & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS
And Manufacturers of every description of
BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS,
No. 197 East Water Street, Milwaukee
dec14] MARTIN'S BLOCK. 'dly

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
Madison, - - - - - - - - - - Wisconsin
THE PROPRIETOR has furnished this Hotel anew throughout, and his Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.
The public patronage is respectfully solicited.
jan18dly G. DUTCHER.

MENOMONEE HOTEL,
—BY D. N. NEIMAN—
West Water Street, (near Spring Street Bridge,)
[915] MILWAUKEE. [dyly

ANTI-HUMBUG STORE.
MICHAEL OROKE,
118 East Water street. - Milwaukee.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
READY-MADE CLOTHING.
Clothing made to Order with Neatness & Dispatch
une2 dif

Wever's Dry Goods Palace,
IS considered the most fashionable store in town. A dress purchased at 158 East Water street, is a sufficient guaranty of its being fashionable. nov3

THE HAWKINS HOUSE,
By W. A. Hawkins, Fifth Ward.
THIS HOTEL, (formerly the Lake House) has been enlarged, put in complete repair, refitted and newly furnished throughout, and will be open for the reception of guests on and after Wednesday next, Oc 13d.
Milwaukee, Oct 1. oct2dtf

BUSINESS NOTICES.

SPAAN'S
OLD AND ORIGINAL
BAZARR!
Nos. 9, 11, 13 and 15,
First Ward Market House.

H. SPANN informs his old and all new customers, that his Stalls are always supplied with the earliest and very best of **Seasonable Vegetables**, that a Green Grocer can keep, having the first choice from most of the Vegetable producers.

GRAND GALA EXHIBITION AND SALE OF
FRUIT FLOWERS, VEGETABLES & PRODUCE
EVERY SATURDAY, from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M. All purchases delivered without charge. je10dtf

HAVEN POWERS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
Birchard's Block, Cor. Spring and West Water Sts.
Office Hours—8 to 12 and 2 to 5 1-2.
☞ COURT DAYS—TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

JACOB G. ECKEDAHL
Carriage Trimmer and Harness Manufacturer,
No. 57 Spring Street, - - Milwaukee,
FOUR DOORS WEST OF THE AMERICAN HOUSE.
Keeps on hand Saddles, Trunks, Whips, Carpet Bags &c., &c., at prices to suit the times.
☞ The public are invited to call and examine his stock. aug24dly

THOMAS VAUX,
(from New York,)
Window Shade Manufacturer and Sign Painter,
21 Mason Street, Milwaukee,
OPPOSITE THE CITY HOTEL.
☞ He has on hand a good assortment of the latest and best styles of washable Transparent Window Shades. Store Shades and Screens made at the shortest notice, and all kinds of Shades made to order.
☞ Emblems painted on Shades for I. O. of O. F., I. O. of R., S. of T., &c. Also Sign Painting. sept9

PETER GOLDER..........JAMES DENSMORE
GOLDER & DENSMORE,
ATTORNEYS & Counsellors at Law, and Solicitors in Chancery, will attend faithfully to all business entrusted to them. ☞ Elkhorn, Walworth county, Wis. june27

J. McEWEN,
No. 193 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
HOLIDAY PRESENTS.
CONFECTIONERY AND TOY STORE!
CONFECTIONERY ALL OF HIS OWN MAKE. The Public are invited to call and try them
Milwaukee, Dec. 20, 1854. dec20dtf

GEO. DYER,
211 EAST WATER ST., MILWAUKEE.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
SADDLERY HARDWARE
Carriage Trimmings, Whips, Fly Nets, &c., &c.
dec15dtf

AMERICAN HOUSE.
P. KANE & SONS, Proprietors.
THIS HOUSE, having lately undergone extensive alterations, and been newly furnished, the proprietors flatter themselves that, by strict attention to the wants of their numerous guests, and reasonable prices, they cannot fail of making them feel at home while sojourning at their House. P. KANE & SONS.
Milwaukee, July 20, 1855. jy21dtf

T. COLLINGBOURN,
HOUSE & SIGN
PAINTER!
Removed to
MAIN, NORTH OF WISCONSIN ST.
dec23

GENTLEMEN'S
Silk and Gauze Merino Wrappers and Drawers, for Summer Wear—at the BEE HIVE.
MISSES'
Embroidered Muslin and Linen Collars—at the BEE HIVE.
MILLINERS'
Rich French Flowers, Blonds Laces, &c., &c.—at the BEE HIVE.

MATCHES! MATCHES!!
ALL Orders left at the Postoffice for R. W. PIERCE'S MATCHES will receive prompt attention.
Address, I. W. HIBBARD & CO.
Milwaukee, June 1, 1855. je1dtf

LIVERY, SALE AND EXCHANGE STABLE!
No. 35 Spring St., Milwaukee.
Horses and Carriages,
(DOUBLE AND SINGLE,)
Saddle Horses, for Ladies and Gentlemen; Omnibusses, open and covered; in fact, everything belonging to the Livery Business, can be had at this Stable.
Particular attention paid to boarding Horses and Carriages.
The undersigned flatters himself that he has **the largest, best and most complete stock of Livery in the West.** Thankful for the liberal patronage received for the last eight years, he would solicit a continuance of the same.
New and second-hand carriages, always for sale.
N. B.—For sale, two good, covered sleighs, two two-seated pony sleighs, and several Cutters—all from the West Troy (N. Y.) manufactories.
☞ One door west of the American House.
dec7dly GEO. F. OAKLEY.

PENDERGAST & WILSON,
Ambrotype, Daguerreotype, and Mezzograph
PICTURES.
NO. 171 EAST WATER ST., (Up Stairs.)
MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN.
W. W. PENDERGAST. A. T. WILSON.
nov15dly

ALBANY STOVES,
From the Old Establishment of
RATHBONE & KENNEDY.
THE reputation of these stoves is well known; having been test ... for years. Dealers will be supplied at Eastern price ... adding transportation, by
H. A. FOOTE,
nov26daw 153 *East Water Street.*

FRENCH CHINA!
—AND—
Fancy Glassware from the
GREAT NEW YORK AUCTION SALE!

BLAIR & PERSONS ARE NOW OPENING a large stock of Plain, White and Band Dinner setts.
do do Tea do.
Rich Decorated do do
do do and Plain Toilet do
Rich Decorated Vases, Gift Cups, Pictures.
do do Spittoons, Mugs, Card Receivers.
do do and Plain Toy and Tea Setts, &c., &c.
Also a great variety of Bohemian Glass Ware, Terra Cotta and Parian goods, consisting of pitchers, vases, card trays, tete a tete setts, spoon-receivers, butter tubs, decanters, urines, &c., all of which were bought auction and will be sold at lower prices than at any other establishment in the State. oct17

TAILORS' SHEARS; TAILORS' Trimmers; Tailor's Points; Bankers' Shears; Barbers' Scissors; Ladies' Scissors. All from the manufactory of H. Wendt, New York, warranted, and for sale by
H. A. FOOTE.
nov30 153 *East Water Street.*

BROTHER JONATHAN STOVES.
JUST RECEIVED a supply of these famous Cooking Stoves. Hundreds of them are in use in the city.—Those who want a stove can do no better than to give Brother Jonathan a trial. For sale at
H. A. FOOTE's
nov30
Depot for Rathbone & Kennedy's Albany Stoves.
153 *East Water Street.*

JUST READ THIS!
P. BARKER has the nicest lot of **Furs, Hats, Caps, Gloves, &c.** Just the things for the Holidays. Call and see them at
dec24 **169 East Water Street**

STEEL FIRE-IRONS.
A LARGE variety of fine Polished Steel Fire-Irons, in pairs or sets. Also, Brass Head Polished Fire-Irons, for sale by H. A. FOOTE.
nov30 153 *East Water Street.*

FORWARDING & COMMISSION

WM. B. ALVORD,
PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT
Higby's Brown Warehouse,
West Water Street,
Milwaukee, Wis.

REFER TO
A. Mitchell, Esq. Pres. Wis. Marine and Fire Insurance Co. Bank, Milwaukee.
M. S. Scott, Esq., Cashier State Bank, Milwaukee, Wis.
Messrs. Kneeland & Hull, Bankers, Milwaukee.
Messrs. H. W. Willard & Co., 9 Central Wharf, Buffalo, and 113 Broad Street, N. Y.
Messrs. Mann, Vail & Co., Buffalo.
Messrs. Thayer, Rice & Co., Boston. apr12

Storage, Forwarding and Commission House,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN
1855. 1855.
Gardiner & Hibbard,
(SUCCESSORS TO I. W. HIBBARD.)
HELFENSTEIN WAREHOUSE.
All kinds of produce bought and sold. Advances made on property in store.
E. L. H. GARDINER, A. W. HIBBARD.
REFERENCES—E. Cramer, Pres't State Bank, Wis.
M. S. Scott, Cashier, do apr12

1855. 1855.
NICHOLS, BRITT & Co.,
PRODUCE, FORWARDING, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Dealers in Grain, Flour, Wool, Dried Fruits, Cheese, Water Lime, &c.,

☞ Liberal Cash Advances made on property for sale in this or any of the Eastern markets.
☞ Agents for *Union Transportation Company, Griffith's Western Line. New York, Troy and Michigan Line.*
Consignments for the city and Country generally, respectfully solicited. All goods consigned to us will receive prompt attention.
BROWN WAREHOUSE, ERIE STREET,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.
Particular attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE, received per M. & M. Railroad, and M. & W. Railroad.
Office at the Grain Depot of the M. & M. Railroad.
M. S. NICHOLS. O. E. BRITT. H. A. NICHOLS.
REFERENCES:
E. Cramer, President State Bank Wisconsin.
M. S. Scott, Cashier " "
Alex. Mitchel, President Wis. M. and F. Ins. Co. Bank,
David Ferguson Cashier, " " "
M. S. Hawley, Commission Merchant, Buffalo.
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PRODUCE & COMMISSION
DICKINSON & CO.
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
—AT—
BURNHAM'S NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE,
West Water Street, - - Fourth Ward,
MILWAUKEE.
R. HIBBARD. D. O. DICKINSON.
Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, Corn, Flour, &c.
BOUGHT AND SOLD.
Highest Market Price paid for Produce.
June 2

J. HOLTON & CO.,
FREIGHT FORWARDERS!
ON MONDAY, the 26th inst., the undersigned will commence the business of transporting Merchandise and Freight upon the Milwaukee & Mississippi Rail Road between Milwaukee and Madison and intermediate points, on the line of the road, and will give to the same such careful personal attention, as to secure safety and despatch in the transmission of goods, &c., entrusted to their care.
Orders sent by mail, or through our Agents at the several stations, will receive immediate attention, and the goods be forwarded without delay. A trusty Agent accompanies the train to whose care goods and orders may also be intrusted. The patronage of the Public is respectfully solicited.
Office—first building east of the Passenger Depot Second Street.
Milwaukee, Feb. 21, 1855. feb21
J. HOLTON & CO.

COOKE, HALL & CO.,
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Dealers in Coal, Salt and Water-Lime,
MENOMONEE WAREHOUSE,
MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN.
CHA'S COCKE, Milwaukee. S. C. HALL, Whitewater
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1855.
BELL & BEAN,
Produce, Commission & Shipping Merchants,
Brown Warehouse, West Water Street,
Agents for the North-Western Iron Company,
And General Dealers in all kinds of
Coal, Pig Iron, Fire Brick, Water Lime and Salt.
Milwaukee, Wis.
C. H. BELL, je23 W. L. BEAN.

IMPORTANT CHANGE!
The Undersigned have purchased the entire Stock of
CABINET WARE AND CHAIRS
OF SAMUEL C. NEWHALL,
No. 210 West Water Street.
WHERE THEY ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH everything in the line of
Chairs, Stands, Bureaus, Desks, Show Cases, Tables Bedsteads, Sofas, Looking Glasses, Book Cases, &c., &c.
They manufacture their own ware and can safely warrant every article they offer for sale, and will sell at as cheap a rate as can be obtained at any other store in the city. The public are respectfully requested to give them a call and examine the quality and price of their goods.
☞ Please, remember the number, 210 West Water street, (oct2d3m) E. NEWTON & CO.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.
BLAIR & PERSONS,
FORMERLY F. J. BLAIR, 163 East Water street, Milwaukee, are now receiving their Spring stock of
CROCKERY
AND GLASS WARE!
to which they would invite the especial attention of Dealers in the country. Importing our Crockery direct from the Staffordshire Potteries, and buying our Glass and other Wares from Manufacturers in this Country, (thus saving one profit by purchasing from first hands,) we are prepared to furnish Country Dealers with goods in our line, on better terms, and at Lower Prices than any House in the West.
☞ Call and see us. BLAIR & PERSONS.
May 9, daw

WINTER FASHION!
1856. 1856.
I Have Received the Winter Style of Gentlemen's DRESS HATS, and am ready to wait on customers. J. H. SILKMAN,
dec18 No. 152 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

NEW DRIED CURRANTS.
SMALL lot just received by PATTON & WILLIAMS
dec19 Corner Spring and West Water St's.

HAMBURG CHEESE,
1 TON, WARRANTED THE BEST IN the market—for sale by ROGERS & BRO.,
dec4 Austin's Block, Spring Street.

WANTED.
A GERMAN BOY—one that can come well recommended, with some knowledge of the Dry Goods business. None others need apply.
dec4dtf CHANDLER & JENNINGS

COME, AND ADMIRE THE RICH GOODS at the DRY GOODS PALACE, 158 East Water St.
or5 F. M. WEVER.

RAIL ROADS.

LA CROSSE & MILWAUKEE RAILROAD!!
Winter Arrangement.
On and after January 1, 1856, to Horicon,
" " " " 15, " " Oak Grove.
" " " " 30, " " Beaver Dam.
Or as soon as the road is opeended to those places respectively.

GREAT NORTHERN ROUTE!
PASSENGER TRAINS leave Milwaukee twice a day, as follows:—At 8.30 A. M., arriving at Horicon at 11.23 A. M., and at Beaver Dam at 12.10 P. M.
At 4.00 P. M., arriving at Horicon at 6.53 P. M., and at Beaver Dam at 7.40 P. M. Also, leave Beaver Dam and Horicon, going East, as follows:—Beaver Dam at 8.10 A. M., and Horicon at 9.00 A. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 12.00 A. M.; Beaver Dam at 3.40 P. M., and Horicon at 4.30 P. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 7.30 P. M.
BY this arrangement passengers coming from the East, arriving at Milwaukee by the morning trains from Chicago and Madison, and destined for any part of the North or North-westerly parts of the State, can proceed on the *same day* by the evening or four o'clock Train, and arrive at Horicon or Beaver Dam, where stages will connect for Waupun, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Menasha, Green Bay, Ripon, Berlin, Steven's Point, Marquette, Montello, Fox Lake, Portage City, Baraboo, Newport, St. Croix, and all other towns and places in the North west portion of the State.
THIS ROUTE now being opened is the great desideratum to Northern Wisconsin, affording the long-desired means of ingress and egress, and of communication with the **LAKE SUPERIOR REGION,** which heretofore has been a sealed book to the rest of the world during a large portion of the year.
MESSRS. DAVIS & MOORE have made extensive arrangements for effecting stage connections at Horicon and Beaver Dam, for all the principal stage routes; and a railroad connection will be established at Horicon early in January, extending towards Waupun and Fond du Lac, by means of the Horicon Railroad, which will offer superior facilities for the traveling public.
Tickets to be had at the Passenger Stations, and at the office of Davis & Moore.
Passengers will please procure tickets before entering the Cars.
Attentive and careful baggagemen on hand half an hour before the time of starting. BYRON KILBOURN,
Superintendent.
December 24, 1855. jan25

MILWAUKEE & HORICON
RAILROAD.
REGULAR TRAINS will commence running in connection with the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad, on the Milwaukee & Horicon Railroad, to Burnett and Hanf Stations, on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1856, and to Waupun, on Monday, the 18th day of February, 1856
PASSENGERS going North-West, will procure through tickets at the Ticket Office of the La Crosse Road, in Milwaukee.
FREIGHTERS will deliver their freight at the North end of the La Crosse Freight Depot, in Milwaukee, and at Burnett, Hanf and Waupun Stations.
Arrangements have been made with the Wisconsin Stage Company to connect with this road at the North West stations.
AT BURNETT, passengers are within two miles of the Southern Terminus of the Fond du Lac R. R., and, by this route, requiring but two miles staging between Milwaukee and Fond du Lac.
COMFORTABLE CONVEYANCES will be on hand to convey passengers between the two Railroads. JASPER VLIET,
Superintendent.
Milwaukee, January 29th, 1856. jan30

Michigan Central Rail Road.
ON AND AFTER NOVEMBER 18, TRAINS LEAVE the Depot, foot of South Water Street, as follows:
7 15 A. M., Cincinnati Express; arrive at Cincinnati at 6 P. M; connects at Indianapolis with trains for Dayton, Columbus, Zanesville, Wheeling, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.
6 40 A. M. Mail; Supper at Detroit, breakfast at Rochester or Hornellsville next morning supper in New York or lodge in Boston.
4 00 P. M. Afternoon Express; arrives in New York at 9 A. M. second day, or Boston at 1 P. M. Philadelphia at 10 30 se ond morning.
8 30 P. M. Night Express; arrives at Niagara Falls or Buffalo next evening, New York next morning, Boston in the afternoon, Philadelphia in the evening. Also, connects at Michigan City, direct, with trains on the
NEW ALBANY & SALEM RAILROAD
For Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Columbus, Zanesville, Wheeling, Baltimore, Washington, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia.
The only train that leaves Chicago Saturday night is over this route 8 30 P. M. Only one train Sunday at 8.30 P. M. No 4 P. M train Saturday.
Ticket office—Corner of Lake and Dearbon Streets, opposite the Tremont, and at the Depot.
R. N. RICE, Superintendent.
GEORGE WILLIAMS, Jr., General Agent. feb29

LAKE SHORE RAIL ROAD!!
Change of Time!
ON AND AFTER
MONDAY, MARCH 5d, 1855,
AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, Passenger Trains of the
Green Bay, Milwaukee & Chicago R. R. Line
Will leave Milwaukee, from Florida Street, for Chicago and intermediate stations, at
9 A. M., AND 9.45 P. M.,
Receiving Passengers from MADISON, JANESVILLE, and intermediate stations upon the
MILWAUKEE & MISSISSIPPI R. R.,
ALSO, FROM THE
MILWAUKEE & WATERTOWN R. R.,
THE
LA CROSSE & MILWAUKEE RAILROAD
AND THE
MILWAUKEE & HORICON R. R., at Milwaukee,
AND THE
RACINE & MISSISSIPPI R. R., at Racine,
And connect with the Afternoon and Evening
EXPRESS TRAINS FOR THE EAST,
Over the Michigan Central and Mich Southern Railroads
☞ Passengers ticketed to Chicago, Boston, N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, &c., &c.
☞ Trains leave Chicago for Milwaukee and intermediate stations at 8 30 A. M., and 3 15 P. M., receiving passengers for the above-mentioned Railroads and places, and making two passenger trains each way daily, Sundays excepted.
Freight Trains leave Milwaukee at 6 30 A. M.; arrive at 1 10 P. M. C. B. HALL, Sup't.
Milwaukee, February 28, 1856. mar1

BUFFALO AND BRANTFORD RAILWAY.
☞ SHORTEST ROUTE.
Between Buffalo & Detroit, by the Buffalo & Brantford Railway, in connection with the Great Western at Paris.
ON and after Monday, June 26th, Two Trains will run Daily (Sundays excepted), leaving the New Depot, Erie St., Buffalo, at 10.10 A. M. and 9.35 P. M., and Paris at 12.20 A. M. and 12 M., or immediately on the arrival of the Express Train from Detroit.
A Freight Train will leave Paris at 9.50 A. M. and Fort Erie at 2 P. M.
The Company's Steamer, INTERNATIONAL, will leave the Michigan Central Dock, Buffalo, with Freight and Emigrants at 6 P. M.
N. B.—This route connects with the several Eastern lines terminating in Buffalo, and the Michigan Central to Chicago.
☞ Tickets can be procured at the Depot, and at 27 Exchange St., Buffalo, and at the Office of the Company's Agents, in New York, Albany, Detroit and Chicago.
☞ Tickets can also be had in Milwaukee, at the office of the Michigan Central R. R. opposite the U. S. Hotel.
Baggage checked through.
☞ Fare from Buffalo to Detroit, $5; to Chicago, $11.
WM. WALLACE, Sperintendent.
Buffalo, June 18, 1854. jy27dtf

NOTICE TO FREIGHTERS.
FREIGHT TRAINS will commence running upon the G. B., Milwaukee & Chicago (Lake Shore) Railroad Line, December 1st 55.
☞ Trains arriv.., 'd depart from Florida street.
nov27dtf ...and C. B. HALL, Superintendent.

POTATOES! POTATOES!
100 Bushels White Neshanock Potatoes, at
BARRON & HOYT'S,
feb18 Opposite American.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

GROCERIES! GROCERIES!
—AT WHOLESALE—
103 & 105 East Water St., - Milwaukee.
DUTCHER & SEXTON,
SUCCESSORS to the late firm of P. W. BADGLEY & CO., are now receiving their Spring Stock of
GROCERIES,
purchased mostly *for Cash*, which they are prepared to sell as Low as can be bought in any of the Western markets, consisting in parts as follows:
200 hhds New Orleans Sugars,
150 bbls crushed, clarified and refined Sugars,
200 bbls Syrup and Molasses,
300 bags Rio, Laguira and Java Coffee,
250 packages Green Teas,
150 do Black do
125 boxes Pale, Palm, No. 1, and Castile Soap,
100 do Tobacco, various brands,
50 bbls Whale Oil,
200 boxes Star, Sperm and Tallow Candles.
Pepper, Spice, Cassia, Nutmegs, Indigo, Codfish, Sardines, Percussion Caps, Segars, &c.
Mr. DUTCHER has been long known to the business community as one of the late firm of P. W. Badgley & Co. and by close attention to business they hope to merit the same patronage that has been extended to the late firm.
JOHN A. DUTCHER.
KELLOGG SEXTON.
☞ Also, Agents for the celebrated **Tiger Mills Powder.** jun3d1y

H. SPAAN'S
GROCERY AND POULTRY STORE,
—IN THE MARKET HOUSE—
East Water Street, - - - Milwaukee.
☞ WHERE, AT ALL TIMES,
May be found a full assortment of GARDEN VEGETABLES, of all kinds, received *fresh every morning*. Also, Poultry, Fruits, Flowers and Garden Seeds, of the best varieties, which will be sold at the cheapest market price. ☞ Call and see.

Patton & Williams,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GROCERS AND COMMISSION
MERCHANTS.
Corner of Spring and West Water Streets,
MILWAUKEE.
ALWAYS ON HAND
PROVISIONS, SALT, FLOUR, MEAL, FEED,
And all articles connected with our business.
☞ "Consignments solicited."
JAS. E. PATTON. (oct26) GEO. F. WILLIAMS

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PUBLISHES THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE MAPS:
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All orders for the above should be addressed to S. Chapman, who is the sole Publisher. Agents and dealers will be furnished with terms on application.
☞ Maps of other Publishers furnished at their prices.
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HAND-BOOK OF WISCONSIN.
"THIS is a little guide book to emigrants and travelers, and of much value to those who may incline to seek a home in the West. We believe were copies of the hand-book assiduously circulated in Scotland, Wisconsin would get, through its means, a large addition to its Scotch immigration."—*John O'Groats Journal*, Wick, Scotland.
"We have just received from Milwaukee, state of Wisconsin, America, a copy of a Hand-book, or Guide to that State, which is highly interesting and useful to emigrants, written and published by Mr. S. Chapman, who appears to be thoroughly acquainted with the state of the country, and has the interest of the emigrant at heart."—*Advertiser*, Brechan, Scotland. apr16

Lamps! Lamps!
A NEW LOT has just arrived, and are for sale cheaper than ever! by
JOHN GOODMAN,
At the Camphene Depot, No. 9, Michigan street.
Where may also be found a fresh supply of
Camphene, Alcohol, Spirits of Turpentine and Burning Fluid,
By the gallon or barrel. july14

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
MR A. G. VAN SCHAICK is this day admitted a partner in our business, which will be continued as heretofore under the name and style of
LUDINGTON & CO
Milwaukee, March 1st, 1855.

Ludington & Co.
Manufacturers and Dealers in
PINE LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLE TIMBER, &c. &c.
No. 220, West Water Street.
Between Spring and Oneida St. Bridges,
MILWAUKEE, WIS.
☞ A call from purchasers is solicited.
Dealers supplied with Lumber by the Cargo at any time during the season of Navigation.
LEWIS LUDINGTON,
JAMES LUDINGTON
A. G. VAN SCHAICK.
Milwaukee, March 1st, 1855—d6mw4w.

A RARE CHANCE!
IN THE FOUNDRY AND MACHINE BUSINESS
THE SUBSCRIBER, who is getting up in years, and is unable to give that attention to business which he could wish, is desirous of relinquishing business, and will sell his share in the oldest established concern in this State. The premises are well situated and commodious, and the tools mostly new, and to any one wishing to engage in a safe and lucrative business such a chance rarely occurs. For particulars apply to
Milwaukee, Aug. 31, '55. THOS. TURTON,
sep1dtf *Eagle Foundry.*

MADAME LEVY,
FORMERLY on corner of Oneida and Main streets, has removed to No. 236, Main street, two doors south of Catholic Church.
She is prepared to fill all orders in designing and embroidery.
She has received a large assortment of French Flowers, of the latest styles, always on hand, most of each new patterns. may5

J. Plankinton & Co.
MANUFACTURERS OF
SOAP AND CANDLES,
Fourth Ward, near M. & M. R. R. Depot,
MILWAUKEE.
WOULD respectfully inform the public that we are now prepared to fill all orders in our line of business. Keep constantly on hand a large assortment of the various qualities of
SOAP.
Also, CANDLES manufactured expressly for family use, and
Warranted to give Satisfaction
IN ALL KINDS OF WEATHER.
Thankful for your liberal patronage thus far, hope by fair dealing to merit a continuance of the same.
☞ Orders from the country respectfully solicited.
☞ The highest market price paid for TALLOW and SOAP GREASE.
Milwaukee, April 3, 1855.

LAND WARRANTS!—A FULL SUPPLY Always on hand, and for sale at a small advance on New York rates. BRIDGE BROTHERS.,
226 *East Water Street,*
oct1dif 4 doors south of Walker House

F. M. WEVER!
158 EAST WATER STREET,
MILWAUKEE, [nov3] WISCONSIN.

HARDWARE, &C.

REMOVAL.
THE Subscribers having moved their Stock of Goods into their new and splendid store, are now prepared to sell on very favorable terms and at low prices. We would take this occasion to return our sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage extended to our firm by our friends and citizens of Milwaukee, and from all the interior cities and towns of Wisconsin, and we trust by strict attention to business and to the wants of our customers, to merit a continuance of trade and their friendship. To those who are not acquainted with the locality of our store, we would say, to look for
NAZRO'S BUILDING!
No's 121, 123 & 125 East Water Street.
Sign of the Padlock.
Where we shall be happy to show our stock and to sell it.
HENRY J. NAZRO, JOHN NAZRO,
New York. (sep5) Milwaukee.

STOVES! STOVES!!
THE subscribers have been appointed *Special Agents* for Milwaukee and Wisconsin, for the sale of **Buffalo Stoves,** from the celebrated Manufactory of JEWETT & ROOT. The stoves have been pronounced by all who have used them, to be superior to any make in the country; they combine the following important qualities:
Superior quality of metal used;
Beautiful and ornamental designs;
Well adapted for economical and saving people;
And the gem of all good housekeepers:
HEAVY PLATES AND GOOD DRAFTS.
We have the **Harvest Home**
New Eagle, May Queen,
Clipper & Express, Western Star,
Beautiful Cottage Parlor Self-regulating Sheet Iron Stoves.
Also, Coal Stoves, Box Stoves and Store Stoves.
Hotel Stoves, able to cook for 100 people.
We have the most convenient, airy and pleasant Sample Room of any store in the city, and we hope our friends will show us a substantial appreciation of the value and benefit to Milwaukee of
Nazro's Building!
OUR MOTTO:
Good Goods, Low Prices and Quick Sales.
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HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.,
SIGN OF THE PADLOCK.
141 East Water St., Milwaukee.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
HARDWARE AND IRON.
WE shall be receiving, during the season of Navigation, FULL STOCKS and LARGE ASSORTMENTS of every description of
English, German and American Hardware.
Also, Iron, Steel, Nails, Glass, Sash, Rope &c., &c.
And shall have the pleasure, from time to time, of informing the readers of this journal of the different articles which we are receiving.
This is the first time we have appeared before the readers of the *Free Democrat*, and we trust we may make the acquaintance of and sell to a large number of them good in our line. We shall be pleased to show and to sell our goods when an opportunity offers.
☞ *We do not mean to be undersold.* (ap22
HENRY J. NAZRO, JOHN NAZRO,
New York. Milwaukee.

STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!
—AT—
WHOLESALE & RETAIL!
THE SUBSCRIBERS WOULD MOST RESPECTFULLY announce to the Public that they have a full supply of **Cooking, Parlor and Box Stoves, in Great Variety,** any or all of which they are anxious, as usual, to sell. They would also state, for the benefit of those in the trade, that they have
Just Received a Large Lot of Stoves,
Of almost every variety, on consignment to which they invite your attention, as they are satisfied they can make prices and terms satisfactory.
Manufacturing of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Wares in all its branches, ably conducted. A Large Stock of Tin and Japan Ware constantly on hand at their STOVE DEPOT,
No. 23 Spring St., 2d Door East of American House. MILLAR & JOHNSON
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RELIANCE WORKS
DECKER & SEVILLE,
PROPRIETORS!
HAVE ON HAND, AND ARE CONSTANTLY MANUFACTURING to order,
Castings for Saw and Grist Mills,
Columns, Caps and Sills, and Building Work generally Blacksmithing and Machine Work done on short notice and in a satisfactory manner. Stationary Engines made on Short Notice
Our stock of FRENCH BURR BLOCKS will always be found to be the largest west of New York City, comprising the latest importations.
Mill Furnishings, Dutch Anker Brands of Bolting Cloth Screenery, Screws, &c., &c.,—a large supply to select from. They also manufacture and have for sale a superior lot of
Cooking, Parlor and Box Stoves, which will be Warranted in all cases.
Orders for any article in our Line will be promptly attended to. A personal examination of our establishment is solicited. DECKER & SEVILLE.
☞ Agents and Manufacturers of *Goodwin's Celebrated Water Wheel*, (cast iron) and *Pease's Smut Machines*, which the Milling community are invited to examine; undoubted references can be given for both. jan18

HARDWARE!
A. K. WILLIAMS,
No. 25, Spring St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
West Side of the River,
TAKES this method of informing his old friends and the public generally, that in order to supply the increasing demand of both city and country, he has replenished his stock of
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE,
Where can be found a complete assortment of all goods in his line. Also **Window Glass and Sash,** all sizes, from the best Eastern Factories. All of which will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers, and at the *lowest Cash Prices*, at the Old Stand, one door east of the American House. jy23d

NOTICE
IS hereby given, that I have sold out my entire stock of Hardware and Stoves to Mr. H A FOOTE, my successor in business, who will be found at all times on hand to supply all who may favor him with a call at the old stand, No 153 East Water st., sign of the Anvil.
W H NEWTON
Having become the successor of W H NEWTON in the Hardware Trade, I shall continue the business at the old stand, No 153 East Water Street, and satisfy all who may favor me with their calls. H A FOOTE.
Milwaukee, June 9, 1855 Je20

Fine Editions.
HUME'S ENGLAND, 6 vol's; Webster, 6 vol's; Don Quixotte, 4 vol's, ½ calf; Byron's Works, 16 vol's; Milton's Works, morocco gilt; Walton's Angler; Austen's Novels, 5 vol's, calf; Sterne's Works; Smith's Wealth of Nations; Wilkinson's Egyptians, 2 vol's;—Guesses at Truth, 2 vol's; Arabian Nights, ½ calf; Forster's Goldsmith; Byron's Childe Harold, calf; Boswell's Johnson; Stanley's Birds; Spenser's Fairy Queen; Mahon's England, 7 vol's; Newman on the Soul—Just received at (nov1) A. WHITTEMORE & CO.

THE LEADERS OF FASHION
WITH FACILITIES NEVER BEFORE ATTAINED BY ANY SIMILAR ESTABLISHMENT in the WEST, we are now prepared with
New Goods, New Styles and New Fashions
To produce garments, which, for
GRACE AND STYLE,
Will equal those daily seen on Broadway.
Neither expense, tact, ingenuity, or talent has been spared in effecting this result. If this notice was designed for the Milwaukee Public alone, it would be superfluous; but in the present instance we are addressing
Every State, City and Town in the Country;
THE CUSTOM DEPARTMENT
IS STILL UNDER THE DIRECTION OF
B. J. BURR.
Who will be assisted for the coming winter by two experienced cutters from the East. Those who may favor us with their presence, may always find
EVERY NOVELTY
Usually to be found in a
FIRST CLASS TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT
And at Prices to command a Popular Trade.
S. SNOYER. B. J. BURR.
No. 154 East Water Street, Milwaukee, Wis.
ALWAYS ON HAND
A SPLENDID AND VARIED ASSORTMENT
—OF—
READY-MADE CLOTHING!
AND
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DRIED APPLES - FALL FRUIT!
BY THE BARREL—at No. 24 Spring Street, opposite American House. nov13

100 TONS SUPERIOR FAMILY SOAP.—We are now manufacturing largely our extra quality of Soap, to which we invite the attention of dealers.
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10 Spring Street

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TUESDAY.....MARCH 18.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Among the Hills of Otsego.

SPRINGFIELD, N. Y., March 4, 1856.

Here I am, in Springfield, snowed in among the hills, in the region where I spent my boyhood. The hills here have grown sensibly during my residence in the level State of Wisconsin. They seem higher and the valleys deeper, and the mountains grander, than when they were familiar objects to me. Doubtless, had I spent the last eight years among the Alps or the Andes, these hills and mountains would now seem quite insignificant to me.

I left Buffalo, Friday, at 5 P. M., but the train did not stop at Fort Plain—where I wished to strike off into Otsego—and so I had to wait at Utica till the next train, due at 5 A. M, Saturday. I could not get lounge or sofa at either of the Hotels, for any price, and so I appropriated the softest side of a hard oak bench, with my valise for a pillow, for three hours. But the train was delayed nearly three hours behind time, and I improved the leisure moments in looking around, at the places I visited when but twelve years old. Here, on the Mohawk and the "raging canawl," I tried my first pair of skates through the day, and was astonished at night, with the first sight of a circus and a theatre.

I reached this place, Saturday afternoon, over snow-drifts, high as a small barn, the beaten track often leading through fields and over board-fences. There has been a perpetual snow-storm since I came here, with a dim prospect of fair weather. There has been no rain here for the last seventy days. To-morrow I shall make a break for the railroad and civilized weather again. With what success, I can not foretell.

In this region, my eyes first saw the light, and here, till twenty-one years of age, I toiled, as a farmer's son, cultivating the rugged soil and hardening my muscles for the enervating duties of a sedentary life. I am more and more impressed with the influence of mountain scenery upon the young. I remember that many and many a time I used to look up from my work and gaze upon the Catskill mountains stretching away 60 or 70 miles in the distance, till it seemed as if my hair was lifting my hat from off my head, and then I would feel that I had another mission than following the plow, and that other employment would some day engage my time.

Well, Time, which lays his hand heavily on all things, has not omittted to pay his respects to the companions, and friends and acquaintances of my youth. Many are dead, others have removed or vanished out of sight, and a few remain, as mementoes of past days. And as I run over the long list with Doctor W.,—whose large acquaintance and professional life, extending through a series of years far outnumbering my own, enabled him to give me the history of a very large number—I was surprised at the changes which twenty years had wrought. We all do fade as a leaf, and as the flowers of the field, man passeth away.

To-morrow I hope to see Albany, and the next day, New York. S. M. B.

VERY LIKE.—The *Sentinel* of this morning, publishes an article from the Pittsburg *Dispatch*, on the Gubernatorial question, which was taken bodily by the latter paper, with the exception of the first paragraph, from an editorial article on "Gov. Barstow and the Supreme Court," which appeared in the *Free Democrat* of Monday, Feb. 25th. We presume the article has improved with age and travel, as the *Sentinel* did not think it worthy of a place in its columns, when it was first published. We are glad to be able, occasionally, to furnish our Pittsburgh cotemporary with sound and logical editorials.

DAILY AT BEAVER DAM.—We have received the Daily Beaver Dam *Republican & Sentinel*, a very respectable looking six column sheet.—The people of Beaver Dam will find that a daily paper will be of great benefit to their town.

GENERAL WALKER'S SEIZURE.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, President of the Nicaragua Transit Company, gives notice of the withdrawal of that line for the present, until the United States Government has had sufficient time to look into the outrage committed on their property, by the Nicaragua Authorities.

FROM KANSAS.—Private intelligence from Kansas states that the Free State Legislature adjourned over from Lawrence. The latter being fortified, and the members fearing arrest, were unprotected.

Gen. Lane and Gov. Reeder are the prominent candidates for U. S. Senator.

STATE CAPITLL ON FIRE.—On Friday night last, the Capitol at Madison took fire, in the School Land Department, but luckily the flames were discovered and extinguished before any damage was done. It was believed by some that the fire was designedly set.

☞ Among the list of unpaid letters in the Chicago Post Office, on the 14th inst., we notice two directed as follows: Miss H. L. Allen, Madison, Wisconsin, and Miss Caroline Miller, Racine, Wisconsin.

☞ A proposition has been entertained in the Kentucky Legislature to establish a patrol all along the banks of the Ohio to keep the negroes from running away.

AFTER THE GOVERNOR.—Gov. Morehead, of Kentucky, has been indicated by the Grand Jury of Scott County, for allowing one of his negroes to hire his own time. The only difficulty in the matter is this, that after they fine the Governor he will be able to remit the penalty.

☞ Mr. H. P. Russ, of Russ-pavement celebrity, has gone to California, with the intention of residing in that State, and has already commenced making arrangements "to mend their ways."

EDITOR'S TABLE.

INSIDE VIEW OF SLAVERY; OR A TOUR AMONG THE PLANTERS—*By C. G. Parsons, M. D., with an introductory note by Mrs. H. B. Stowe*—It is a book of much interest, and the candid inquirer will find valuable information by a careful perusal of its pages "It is, as its title indicates, an inside view of slavery,—a view which could only be taken by one brought into intimate association with the society described. It appears to be candid and fair in its spirit—to extenuate nothing, nor set down ought in malice—and the facts carry their own authentication with them." We hope this book will be universally bought and read.

A JOURNEY IN THE SEA-BOARD SLAVE STATES—*with remarks on their economy—by Fredrick Law Olmsted*, author of "Walks and talks of an American farmer in England."—The design of the author in writing this book, has been to describe what was most interesting amusing and instructive to himself, during his travels in the Slave States. He professes to have been influenced by no partizan feelings, avows himself a Democrat, and solicits a candid hearing. The book is far from being an Anti-Slavery one. Published by Dix & Edwards, New York, and for sale at Arnold's.

THE NAUTICAL MAGAZINE, is received and contains the usual amount of interesting marine and naval intelligence. It contains some fine drawings for ship builders, and valuable information for seamen generally. It is a scientific journal of much interest. Published by Griffiths, Bates & Co., New York.

THE EDINBURGH REVIEW for the present quarter, has been received. As usual, it is filled with instructive and interesting matter, and is the only one of the four, which is disposed to breathe an amicable and liberal spirit towards the United States. Its contents are:

The civil wars and Cromwell; Himalayan Journals; The rural economy of France and Britain: The minister Von Stein; Lectures to Ladies on practical subjects; The use of torture in India; Sir Robert McClure's discovery of the north-west passage; The life and writings of M. de Stendhal, (Henri Beyle;) The Suez Canal; Russian campaign in Asia.—Published by Leonard Scott & Co., New York.

COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE, or *The joys and sorrows of American life*; by Mrs Caroline Lee Hentz, is announced as in press, by T. B. Peterson & Co., of Philadelphia, and will be issued on Saturday, March 22nd. The work is spoken of in high terms of praise, and the name of the authoress itself, is sufficient to ensure a general perusal of the work.

TANGLETOWN LETTERS, being the reminiscences, observations, and opinions of Timothe us Trap, Esq., including a report of the great Mammothic Reform Convention. This work is announced as in press, by Wanzer, McKim, & Co., of Buffalo, N. Y., to be issued on the 25th inst.

THE OLDEST PIONEER.—The Columbus *Reporter* says: Gen. Charles Bracken, of La Fayette County, who came to Wisconsin in 1828, informed us while at Madison the other day, that Col, E. Childs is not, as he is claimed to be, the oldest pioneer. Mr. Bonham King, of La Fayette County, is far in advance of him, having come to this country in 1814, as is also Capt. Jesse W. Shull, of Green County, who came to Prairie du Chien in 1817.

THE LATE ROBERT SCHUYLER.—The *Tribune* of Thursday last states that the family of the late Robert Schuyler, the fraudulent banker, returned from Europe in the steamship, which seems to confirm the report of his death.

☞ Lord Ashburton has offered to engage a gentleman at his own expense, for one year, to deliver a series of lectures before the members of the Yorkshire Mechanics' Institution, on subjects of interest to them.

☞ The Fond du Lac *Union* says: Over a Million of dollars will be expended in the erection of stone and brick blocks on Main street in this city, during the present season.

☞ In the year 1854, (says a Russian journal) 861 works in the Russian language were printed in Russia, and 451 writen in foreign languages; 2,940 contributors, treating of science and literature, appear in the Russian journals. Of printing offices there are 45 at St. Petersburg, 16 at Moscow, and 24 in the other cities of Russia.

☞ Mr. Hepworth Dixon announces for publication in an English journal, an answer to Mr. Maculay's charges against Penn. Mr. Dixon, we understand, replies upon the entire case against Penn,—Mr. Maculay's accusations, standing in the latest editions as they stood in the first.

☞ Horace Greely, when about commencing the *Tribune*, applied himself so laboriously to buisness, that his friends advised him to desist, or he would kill himself. "Well," said he "I intend to do something, or die young!"

☞ It is said that Law has expended during the past nine months, sixty-three thousand dollars to secure a nomination at Philadelphia. Such an outlay should have secured far greater success than he met with.

IN LUCK.—The Watertown *Democrat* says: We have drawn a prize in the Cosmopolitan Art Association, if we may credit the report of distribution that took place at Sandusky Ohio, on the evening of the 28th of February last.—Here is the record—the name of the painting a happy "turn of fortune's wheel" has given us: "The Village Bride drawn by D. W. Ballou, Jr., Watertown Wisconsin."

NEW YORK FLOUR DEALERS.—On the 15th inst., the flour dealers of New York held a meeting and perfected the organization of the New York exchange flour inspection association, N. H Wolf was chosen President, and Isaac H. Reed, secretary. By laws and a system for the inspection of flour were adopted.

☞ The watch and jewelry store of S. Friedenlander, at Ballston Spa, N. Y., was robbed of $30,000 worth of goods one night last week.

☞ The Ironton *Register* notices the casting of a bed plate for Hanging Rock rolling mill. The plate is 21 feet three inches long, 7 feet 1 inch wide, 34 inches thick, and weighs 13,000 pounds.

☞ Mr. A. J. Reed has withdrawn from the Fond du Lac *Union*.

Special Correspondence of the Democrat.

MADISON, March 17, 1856.

Nothing new to-day, and material for correspondence consequently scarce. There is a sort of calm pervading the political atmosphere, though none can tell how soon the tempest may break forth. The lull may be simply that which precdees the hurricane. Everybody is waiting patiently for the decision of the Supreme Court, and everybody is anxious to have the decision, let it be what it may. When it will be rendered, however, no one knows, and consequently I am unable to tell, though I cannot think it will be delayed many days. Every morning for the past week crowds of anxious persons have congregated in the Supreme court room to hear the expected decision, but the musical voice of the Sheriff has daily announced that no one need expect a decision, and the disappointed crowd have been obliged to "adjourn." However the decision will soon be forth coming, and Barstow out-going.

A democrat told me yesterday, that Barstow would never go out of the Executive office *alive*. If this were so, I imagine it would not trouble the people to any very great extent.—But joking aside, this talk of Barstow is all Bumcombe. Let the court give a judgement of ouster against him, and I opine, he will gather up his "stationry," and leave *instanter* without forcing the people to take violent measures to secure his departure. He had *better* go willingly, but he is *bound* to go whether or no.

I think I am pretty safe in predicting that the court will be sustained by *both houses of the Legislature*, though they render a judgement of ouster against Barstow, and give the office to the rightful claimant. I predict this simply because I believe that there are not enough members of the Assembly who will be found ready to set themselves up in defiance of the highest tribunal of the land, or who are willing to damn themselves eternally by seconding Barstow in his insane and desparate course. The people are looking closely to their representatives and expect them to sustain Law and Justice in opposition to anarchy and despotism. Another thing too that confirms me in this belief, is that I believe that the MEN of the Assembly, in the democratic ranks have submitted to dictation long enough. Their manhood revolts at the idea of being mere tools, and they are determined on proving that they are not slaves, that they have opinions of their own, and are not afraid to Express them.

We have been enjoying, for a day or so, the first breath of spring, and we may soon expect to see Nature arraying herself in a bright and beautiful dress. A favorite season with me is spring, when the birds come from their southern homes—when the earth becomes covered with her soft, green carpet—when the trees put forth their leaves, and the flowers bud and blossom. We have had a long and dreary winter, and all will welcome the approach of Spring.

A large number of Legislators are absent and neither house will be full this afternoon.

C. V.

ROCK COUNTY KANSAS LEAGUE.—The Rock County Kansas League held an enthusiastic meeting at Janesville on Saturday last, and completed its organization by adopting rules for its government and, electing the following persons officers of the Association:

A. J. BENNETT, President.
M. T. Walker, Samuel G. Colley, Peter Schmits, J. M. Burgess, Jas. Kirkpatrick, *Vice President.*
Treasurer—C. R. Gibbs.
Recording Secretary—E. J. Farwell.
Corresponding Secretary—James Sutherland.
Executive Committee—W. M. Tallman, Shubael W. Smith, and B E. Hale.

REPUBLICAN CLUB.—The Republicans of Walworth, Walworth County, have organized a Club, and elected the following persons its officers:

President—C. Douglas.
Vice Presidents—Amos Bailey, George H. Lown, D. L. Fairchild.
Recording Secretary—Henry Coon.
Corresponding Secretary—Joseph W. Wood.
Treasurer—H. M. Coon.
Directors—Elijah Easton, J. M. Lanphear and Cyrus Church.

HORSE STOLEN.—The Platteville *American* of the 14th inst. says:

A black mare, belonging to B. F. Chase, was stolen from the stable of the Campbell House on Sunday night last. Suspicion rests strongly on a band of "Ethiopian" performers, who exhibited to very small and disgusted audiences three or four evenings last week, and upon a man in this town who is thought to be an accomplice, and is closely watched. Bills have been extensively circulated, offering a reward of $50, for the recovery of the mare and thief, and $25, for the mare alone. It was reported in town yesterday that the man was in the custody of a Dubuque constable, and the "Ethiopians" under surveillance of the police

Incendiarism.

Mr. M. F. Lyman, Jr., writes to the Manitowoc *Tribune* as follows:

WASHINGTON HARBOR, Feb. 20.

Dear Sir:—On Sunday evening, February 10, the barn and hay of James M. Crow & Son, of this island, was burned—supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

On complaint of James M. Crow, a warrant was issued against Joel Westbrook and Ira W. Westbrook, and after a full examination, they were committed to Brown Co. Jail for trial at the next term of the Circuit Court.

On their way to the jail, they stole the commitment from the officer and refused to proceed. The officer returned and procured a new commitment and is now on their track.

ELKHORN.—The Elkhorn *Reporter* says:—We now number nearly 1,000 inhabitants;—11 stores; 3 boot and shoe stores; 1 saddle and harness shop; 1 jewelry store; 1 wagon shop; 4 blacksmith shops; 15 carpenters and joiners; 1 cabinet and chair store; 2 painters and glaziers, 2 hotels; 1 livery stable; 2 printing offices and 2 weekly newspapers; 2 saloons; 11 lawyers; 4 doctors of medicine; 2 drug and medicine shops; 3 meeting houses; 5 resident ministers; a well-conducted school on the union system; a court house and county jail;—passing directly through the village plat, are 2 Railroads—the R. & M. R. R. on the South, and the C. Wis. on the North—with a fair prospect of another connection with the Milwaukee & Beloit Railroad now in progress of organization.

☞ J. G. Burnett an old and respected citizen of Cincinnati died on last Wednesday in that city.

From Washington.

In the House on the 17th inst, Mr. Galloway, of Ohio, advocated a resolution to allow the committee on elections to send for persons and papers in the Kansas case. He said the country demands a full investigation, in order to expose the rascality by which the will of the people of the territory was thwarted.

In the Senate the River and Harbor Bills were passed, and the Kansas election was debated till the adjournment.

President Pierce has authorized a member of Congress, to deny that he ever offered Governor Reeder another appointment, to resign the Governorship of Kansas.

A private letter from a high official in Grenada, says *the best* of understanding exists between Gen. Walker and Col. Kinney.

Mr. Buchanan's letter by the Arabia announces that the feeling in political circles in England, towards the United States, is much modified. The feeling is much stronger than indicated by the press, and is favorable to a speedy adjustment. No difficulty is now anticipated.

There has been no very recent conferences, owing to Lord Clarendon's absence at Paris.

Terrible Catastrophe.

About half past 8 o'clock on Sunday night, the ferry boat New Jersey, while crossing the Delaware River from Philadelphia to Camden, caught fire in the middle of the stream. There being a great deal of floating ice in the river, much difficulty was experienced in managing the vessel, and she was finally run upon the bar opposite Arch street. It is impossible to give a list of the killed and missing, but the following is compiled from accounts that have reached us:

It accounts for 57 passengers, 33 escaped, 4 dead and missing: supposed to be lost 23.—The captain and mate say there were from 75 to 100 on board. One passenger says 60, others 100 to 125 the captains statement is probably the most correct, and will make the list of the dead a fearful one, while very many, no doubt, were killed by the paddle wheels, having jumped or been crowed in the water forward of the wheels, while the boat was in motion

Sixteen bodies had been recovered up to yesterday noon. There are still nineteen missing, as far as ascertained.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.—The N. Y. *Tribune* of the 13th inst., says: The New Hampshire election shows a considerable gain in the popular vote for the Democracy. The vote for Metcalf, Native, is about the same as last year. The straight Whigs have dwindled down to a mere handful. There is no election of Governor by the people. The House of Representatives will be decidedly Anti-Border Ruffian, while the Democrats claim a majority of the Senate. We have no returns however, to substantiate this claim.

The *Tribune* of the same date has the following dispatch from Concord:

The latest election returns foot up as follows: 164 towns give for Wells, Dem., 28,560; Metcalf, American, 29,841; Goodwin, Whig, and scattering, 2,293.

About forty small towns are yet to be heard from, which gave last year for Baker, Dem., 3,132; Metcalf American, 2,660; and others, 701.

These towns giving a corresponding vote with those already reported, would give an aggregate in the State as follows: Wells, 32,000; Metcalf, 32,000; and Goodwin and scattering, 2,410.

Elected to the House of Representatives, we have 119 Democrats to 142 Opposition. The towns to be heard from, it is estimated, will give 30 Democrats and 22 Opposition.

FIRE IN CINCINNATI.—On the 16th inst., the lard, oil and candle factory of N. D. Ropes & Co., at Cincinnati, was destroyed by fire, together with its entire stock. Loss estimated at $50,000—insured for $30,000.

At the same time the planing mill of Lindsay, Smith & Meyer, at Covington, Ky., was burned. Loss $25,000. No insurance.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION.—On Friday noon a steam engine in a saw mill at Oakville, Indianna, exploded killing four persons and wounding three others. The building was entirely demolished.

FIGHT IN HIGH LIFE.—After the adjournment of the New York Legislature, on the 12th inst., an altercation took place between two of the members—Messrs. Deshler, of Erie, and Guest, of New York—which resulted in a regular *fisticuff*—Mr. D. striking Guest a severe blow on the head with his fist. After recovering from the staggering effect of Mr. Doshler's blows, Mr. Guest retured to the attack, when the combatants clinched, and both being large and powerful men, they were separated with great difficulty. The damages that both parties sustained proved not to be very serious.

—About forty citizens of Norwich, Ct., have founded a free High School in that city, and endowed it with $93,000, of which $50,000 is a permanent fund, the rest being in land and school buildings. The same generous citizens propose to endow it still further, so that every School district in New London County may send one scholar to the school, free of charge.

☞ During a storm in Virginia on the 12th of January last, small bugs were observed to fall with the snow, which, on examination, proved to be the black cohineal bug of Mexico. It is supposed that they were borne upon the wind from that country.

☞ A correspondent of the Wilmington, N. C., *Commercial*, writing from Washington, March 4, says: "By this morning's package of German newspapers, published in my birthplace, I find a positive statement that Robert Schuyler lives in the little town os Brugge, in the Principlity of Rudolstadt Germany.

☞ The Irish Military of New York celebrated St. Patrick's day yesterday in grand style.

☞ "Old Ben Duke," an old negro of Louisville, said to have reached 110 years, died a few days since.

HARD TIMES FOR HORSES.—The N. Y. *Spirit of the Times* says that no less than 900 horses have been killed, or have died, in that city, since the "cold term" set in, (about 1st of Jan.,) over and above the usual number in same time of other years.

Trade and Commerce of Lake Superior, for the Year 1855.

From the Lake Superior Chronicle.

The following statistics of the importations at this place during the year 1855, we obtain from the mercantile and warehouse men of this port:

Dry Goods	$28,201 14
Ready-made Clothing	18,604 31
Groceries	30,987 00
Flour and Pork	54,718 00
Hardware, Stoves, &c	18,494 38
Drugs, Medicines, Paints, &c	4,440 38
Horses, Cattle, and other live stock	13,364 75
Machinery, Mills, &c	13,875 00
Lumber (from below)	9,230 00
Furs and Peltries (exported)	9,450 00
Lake Fish (exported	3,500 00
Total amount	$206,864 86

The above importations were from—

New York	$33,984 33
Philadelphia	8,200 00
Buffalo	2,223 43
Watertown, N. Y.	5,332 29
Ashtabula	13,256 91
Detroit	21,920 42
Cleveland	17,088 02
Chicago	26,253 51
Milwaukee	11,222 06
Lafayette	227 00
St. Paul	4,292 32
Hudson	500 00
Sault Ste Marie	1,350 00
Eagle Harbor	400 00
Ontonagon	650 00
La Pointe	800 00
Iron River (lumber)	1,000 00
Boats and Vessels	24,610 68
La'Anze (lumber)	500 00
Furs, Peltries, Fish, &c	10,450 00

When we consider the population of Superior, and the number of persons dependent upon it for supplies—not exceeding fifteen hundred—and also the deficiency we are now contending against, the above tables will show a very fair trade for the past year.

New York City has shared largely of our purchases, and Chicago, Milwaukee, Detroit, Cleveland and Ashtabula, have had a fair proportion. It will be observed that $24,610 68, received from "boats and vessels," are not credited to any particular point. Of this, Chicago and Milwaukee have furnished at least two-thirds. It is composed principally of articles purchased from persons traveling with the boats.

St Paul, Hudson and Stillwater, are now enjoying the benefits of our trade, and will continue to do so until navigation opens. The receipts from those places will be much larger for the next year.

Mining in this vicinity is yet in its infancy, and the purchases therefore are quite small, not exceeding eight thousand dollars.

The reason why they support Him.

"The man *who signed the fugitive slave law*, and did everything in his power when President, to have it faithfully executed, who stood by the South in every emergency, is not the man whom the Southern people will ever fear to trust. Not at all But they will evince their gratitude by supporting and sustaining him against any and all competitors".—*Richmond Whig.*

Do you hear that, men of the North? Do you take in its deep significance? Do you see about it anything savoring of Americanism? "The man who signed the Fugitive Slave Law!" Is that a qualification for the American Candidate for the Presidency? "The man who stood by the South in every emergency!" Is that a qualification for an American Candidate for the Presidency? "The man whom the Southern people will never fear to trust!" Is that the qualification essential for the American Candidate for the Presidency? What does all this mean in its broadest interpretation? It means simply this, and nothing more, nothing less; Mr. Fillmore signed the Fugitive Slave Law, he did everything in his power to have it rigidly executed, and therefore the South will support him. "He stood by Slavery in every emergency," and therefore the South will support him. He is a man whom Slavery need not fear to trust, and therefore the South will support him. These are the reasons why the *Richmond Whig*, why all the Whig papers of the South (there are not many of them) support him, and why the delegates from the South conspired with the "Silver Grays" of the North to support him. Not one word is said about the reforms it seeks to accomplish. But there is plenty of talk about "Slavery," about the "South," and the "Institutions of the South," about "Southern Rights" and the Fugitive Slave Law, and the Kansas Nebraska bill; but American principles, American policy, Protestant institutions and Protestant policy, are obsolete and meaningless terms. Let those who have forced the Slavery issue upon us fight its battles.—*N. Y State Register.*

NEWLY MARRIED—SCENE: NOT A THOUSAND MILES FROM THE AVENUE.—Just after breakfast—new husband equipped for down town, toasting his calves before the parlor fire. New wife distributing bits of good things from the breakfast table to the pet canaries—colloquy ensues.

Wife—Love, the mice are terribly troublesome—they get into the cake box and my drawers and your trunk awfully, so won't you get me a mouse trap?

Husband—Of course I will love—of course.

Wife—That's a good dear, I knew you would, but just to think that nasty tincture of iron the Doctor prescribes for my loss of appetite spoils my teeth, and mother says I must take it through a quill, please get me some quills now, won't you?

Husband—Yes, dear—(nervously pulling his coat tails forward over each hip.)

Wife—I want some pins too, *so* bad, and its such horrible walking I can't go out, so please now get me some pins, not the big sort, medium kind.

Husband—Yes, love—anything else? (Husband's calves warm up, and as he bends down to scratch 'em, simply makes a wry face which means d——n.)

Wife—Law, me! I nearly forgot. The corkscrew we borrowed of Mrs. T., well the cook has broke it, and there's nothing to be done but get another. I'm mighty sorry, but its too late to help it. Don't be in such a hurry. Didn't burn your legs, did you? Ain't you going to kiss me? There! Don't forget now. *Pins, cork-screw, quills*, and a *mouse-trap*.

Husband rushes out—bang goes the hall door—and an acquaintance in the street commiseratingly watches him disappear round a corner, repeating pins, cork-screw, quills, mouse-trap. *Chicago Tribune.*

FREE LOVE.—The Chicago *Tribune* says it is rumored that a Free Love Association has leased the "Water Cure" establishment at Yellow Springs. Much excitement has been caused by the rumor, and it is quite probable the "Free Lovers," should they attempt to carry out their principles in that neighborhood, will be roughly handled by the people who dwell there and thereabout.

☞ Charles the First, like many another king, as well as more private individuals, was frequently hard up for hard cash. Amongst other devices to raise the wind, he granted the exclusive privilege to manufacture paper to certain persons for a round sum. This paper was stamped with the royal arms. When King Charles' head was cut off, the rump parliment, for the fun of the thing, removed the arms and substituted a fools cap and bells. Hence foolscap paper.

☞ The wool clip of Michigan last year was 2,948,821 pounds, worth $1,035,396.59.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WISCONSIN STATE KANSAS EMIGRANT AID ASSOCIATION.

☞ The Secretary's Office of the Society is now open at 200 East Water Street, second door below City Land Office. Volunteers and persons intending to emigrate can obtain information at this office.

☞ All letters from different parts of the State will be promptly answered. C. T. HUTCHKISS, Secretary.

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Milwaukee, October 1, 1855. oct1-6m

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AT NO. 22 WISCONSIN STREET,

GOODS THAT SHOULD have been received in time for Holiday sales, (owing to the admirable mismanagement of parties having them in charge, have but just come to hand.

The assortment is unusually good, and many very desirable articles are among the lot. WE WILL SELL THEM OFF AT COST. Call and see. There is yet time and means to make many happy hearts and grateful memories. WILSON & CO.,

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Sentinel, American and News, please copy.

City Directory for 1856--57.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have commenced to canvass the city, and they hope all reliable information will be readily and cheerfully given. We have some 500 subscribers, and desire to increase them to 1,000 and *intend* to make the work a better one than heretofore published, with the aid of our citizens.

N. B.—We wish it understood that this book will be out in advance of all others.

☞ Advertisers are respectfully solicited.

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Particular attention will be paid to our Bathing Establishment, that it be kept clean and well supplied with clean water and towels. Confident of our ability to do what is right, we bespeak for the EMPIRE a share of public patronage It shall always be our endeavor to please. J. W. & J. A. GOINES.

September 27, 1855. nov15d1y

CLASSICAL ORNAMENTS.

IN Florentine and Venitian style, designed and drawn on stone, for the use of architects and artists, in 18 Numbers, by William Bogler, for sale at

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DAILY DEMOCRAT.

C. D. BOOTH, - - - - - Local Editor.

TUESDAY::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::MARCH 18.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION.—The Fire Department assembled yesterday afternoon at Engine Company No. One's House, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Three candidates were presented for the post of Chief Engineer. John C. Goodrich, of Engine No. 4, (now First Assistant Engineer.)—D. Schultz, Foreman of Engine No. 2, and Caleb Harrison, Foreman of Engine No. 5. The first ballot resulted as follows. Whole number, 453—necessary to a choice, 227 :

J. C. Goodrich....................190
D. Schultz.........................158
C. Harrison........................105

No one having received a majority of the votes, another ballot was taken as follows.—Whole number, 459; necessary to a choice, 230:

J. C. Goodrich....................206
D. Schultz.........................160
C. Harrison........................ 98

There being no choice, the Department adjourned, to meet again at 1 o'clock this afternoon, for another trial.

CIRCUIT COURT,—In the Circuit Court, yesterday, the criminal docket was finished.—George W. Ames and James B. Knowles, for larcenies in dwelling houses, were permitted to enter into their own recognizance, together with O'Mara, and the three were discharged from custody to appear at the next term of the Court. The recognizance of Geo. W. Pinney $1,500 bonds, was declared forfeited. Louis B. Beardsley's recognizance was declared forfeited. In the case of Levi C. Halsted a *nol pros* was entered, by direction of the District Attorney. The bonds in the case of the State vs. Curtis and Wheeler were declared forfeited. Several were admitted to bail. The Court then adjourned *sine die*.

WM. B. RADCLIFFE.—This notorious personage, who was tried for the murder of David Ross, in 1852, and acquitted, and subsequently tried and convicted for burglary and larceny, in company with Thompson, arrived in this city yesterday, in charge of Sheriff Conover, who arrested him at Waupun, on a *capias*. There are two indictments against Radcliffe, one for highway robbery, and the other for larceny. He had served out his sentence of three years, for burglary, but had remained the in vicinity of Waupun, until his arrest, yesterday.

GONE TO WAUPUN.—Miser Jones was taken to Waupun, yesterday, to serve out a seven years term in the State Prison, he having been convicted of arson. Good enough for him.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.—The Fond du Lac *Union* says:—We learn from Mr. Appleton, one of the contractors, that the contract for building the first twenty miles of the Railroad between this city and Sheboygan has been closed, and that ground will be broken in two months, or as soon as the contractors can return from the east with their materials. By the terms of the contract this portion of the road is to be completed within eighteen months.

MILWAUKEE & BELOIT R. R.—S. C. KELSEY, Esq., has been appointed Chief Engineer of this Road. An excellent selection. Mr. K. is capable and efficient, and will do all in his power to push the Road to an early completion. We understand that Chief Engineer KELSEY and Col. J. C. CROUNSE, together with a company of men, will commence the preliminary survey of the Road on Thursday next.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Horicon *Argus* says, the contract for building the new Presbyterian Church, in that village, was awarded to Mr. Andrew Ingles, for $1,200.—This handsome edifice will afford accommodation for 500 hearers, and is to be ready for service by the 1st of August.

THE BALM OF THOUSAND FLOWERS.—This is universally acknowledged to be best "preserver" of a "whole skin" ever discovered by human intelligence. For sale by the Milwaukee agent, E. C. Arnold, 176 East Water Street, who is just in receipt of a large collection of new books, periodicals and cheap publications, including the latest issues from the press.

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

Office of the Daily Free Democrat,
MILWAUKEE, March 18, 1856.

Weather pleasant and spring like and the streets present quite an active appearance.

FLOUR—7,00a7,50; No. 1, 8,00a8,50.
WHEAT—WINTER, 1,50a1,60; SPRING, 1,20a1,23.
RYE—1,00a1,05.
CORN—45a50.
OATS—37a40.
BARLEY—1,40a1,50.
POTATOES—75a1,00.
PORK—6,25a6,75.

MARRIAGES.

PORTER—STEEL.—March 18, by Rev. S. C. Thomas, Capt. WILLIAM PORTER, to Miss SUSANNA STEEL, all of this city.

Wisconsin Garden and Nursery!
ON GARDNER'S PRAIRIE, WALWORTH COUNTY.

THE undersigned has for sale, the coming Spring, a large stock of Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, Herbaceous Plants, Bulbous Roots, &c. Our Apple Trees are thrifty and healthy—5 and 6 years old from Graft—Cherries, Plums, &c., fine size. Also, plenty of Grapes, Currants, Gooseberries, Raspberries, Strawberries, Pie Plants, &c. Shrubbery—a large variety, at a low figure. Evergreen—a large lot, (at the following prices):

40,000 Apples, per 100, $16a18; per 1,000, $140.

Pears,	25a50 cents each	Currants, each,	0,10a0,25
Plums,	37a50 do do	Currants, per doz.,	1,00a2,50
Cherries	25a50 do do	Raspberries, do	0,25a0 75
Peaches,	25a00 do do	Strawberries, do	0,12½a0,25
Grapes,	25a50 do do		
Gooseberries,	18a37 do do		

4,000 Evergreens. Balsam's firs, 3 to 5 ft. high, each 25 cts to 1,00; Spruce " " " 25 " " 75; Pines, var's " " " 38 " " 75

2,000 Mountain Ash, 5 to 10 feet high, each 25 cents; per 100, $20.00, 50 varieties of roses, each 25 cents to 50 cts.; with all the other fixings usually found in similar establishments, at reasonable rates.

All letters of inquiry, sent to Burlington, Racine Co., will receive immediate attention.

All orders will receive prompt attention, if accompanied with the cash. JOHN BELL.

Wisconsin Nursery, Feb. 13th, 1856. feb19w3m

OATS! OATS!! OATS!!!

900 Bushels of Oats for sale to close consignment—at ALBERT WOOD'S, 9 Spring Street. feb22d3t

A GOOD **BINDER** will find permanent employment (an American preferred) by calling at the Book Store of [jan29] A. WHITTEMORE & CO.

KNOCK-DOWN CHAIRS—A LARGE LOT on hand, at wholesale, to accommodate the Country Trade, at E. NEWTON & CO. 210 West Water St. oc

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Also, a number of other farms in Milwaukee County, at prices from $30 to $150 per acre. D. P. HULL, mar18d1w 217 East Water street.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE COUNTY COURT, In Probate. } ss

In the matter of the final settlement of the Estate of FRANKLIN P. BRIGGS, deceased.

On this 17th day of March, 1856, upon reading and filing the application of David Morgan and Levi B. Potter, Administrators of the Estate of Franklin P. Briggs, deceased, praying for a final settlement of their accounts as such Administrators, and that a day might be fixed upon, which to bring in their final accounts, it is ordered, that said application be heard before me at my office, in the City of Milwaukee, on the 11th day of April, 1856, at ten o'clock A. M., and it is further ordered, that notice of said application and hearing be given to all persons interested, by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks, once in each week, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, prior to said hearing. CHAS. E. JENKINS, mar18d3woaw County Judge.

BEANS.

40 BUS. WHITE PEA BEANS, just received and for sale to close consignment, by mar15d1w ALBERT WOOD.

A New Work on Cottage Architecture.

THE Economic Cottage Builder, or, Cottages for Men of Small Means. Adapted to every locality, with instruction for chosing the most economical materials afforded by the neighborhood, to which are added many valuable hints and useful observations. Illustrated with tinted designs on stone by Charles T. Dwyer, architect and civil engineer. For sale at mar14 A. WHITTEMORE & CO.'s.

A New Romance.

BY Julia Kavanagh, entitled Rachel Gray, a tale founded on fact. The London Journals all, with one accord, unite in giving praise to the talent displayed by Julia in this new Tale. The "Athenaeum" one of the most fastidious of critics, says:—"We heartily recommend the story, and shall rejoice when Miss Kavanagh will give us another equally good." For sale at mar14 A. WHITTEMORE & CO.'s.

Mr. Theodore Knoll,
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ANNOUNCES to the Public that he will give instruction on Brass and String Instruments; also, in composition and thorough Base, thus offering to young gentlemen an opportunity of acquiring thoroughly a knowledge of Music. He is also prepared to furnish a superior Brass or String Band, for Concerts, Parades, Funerals, Serenades, &c., on reasonable terms.

Orders may be left at Mr. Van Cott's Jewelry Store, corner of East Water and Wisconsin Sts. feb28 6m

Thirty Acres near the City,

WELL SITUATED, on high ground, north of the city, near the Lake and city limits, will be sold for $400 per acre, easy credits.

Also, thirty acres west of the city, within ½ mile, with a splendid view of the city and lake, will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, on long payments. These grounds are valuable, and well situated for country seats. Price $300 mar12d1w D. P. HULL, 217 E. Water St.

Piano and Oil Paintings for Sale.

A new and sweet-toned Piano, and several very fine and valuable Oil Paintings from the Royal Gallery at Schleissheim, Bavaria. These Paintings are offered for sale cheap, as the owner is about leaving for Germany. C. OTT.

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BOOKS FOR SUBSCRIPTION TO the Capital Stock of the MILWAUKEE & LAKE SUPERIOR RAILROAD COMPANY will be opened at the Milwaukee City Bank, on Saturday, March 22d, 1856, at ten o'clock A. M.

Milwaukee, March 6, 1856.

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John Furlong.	

Ozaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc and Green Bay papers copy. Bill, day of meeting. mar7

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WORTH OF
DRY GOODS!!
TO BE SACRIFICED
AT AND UNDER COST!!

THE SUBSCRIBERS make known to the Ladies and the Public, that they will offer their entire Stock of Dry Goods AT AND UNDER COST, in order to make room for their heavy Spring Importation; this will be a rare chance for the Ladies, and we will advise them to take this opportunity to replenish their wardrobes and house furnishing goods. Our Stock consists of every description of Dry Goods, such as

COLORED AND BLACK SILKS,

Poplins, De Laines, Merinoes, Silk and Wool Plaids, Ligones, Alpaccas, Bombazines, Ginghams, Calicoes, Table Linens, Flannels and all other kinds of Dry Goods, too numerous to mention, with a large variety of

WHITE GOODS,

Muslin Draperies, Swiss and Dotted Muslin, Jaconnets,—Cambrics, Linens, Lace Goods, Embroideries;—also, a large stock of Hosiery, &c., &c.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!!

Broche Shawls at half their value. Shawls which have been sold before for $15 to $18, we can now sell at $10. Double Shawls, sold heretofore for $25, we can sell you at $15. Wool Shawls at half price.

All we ask is, for the Ladies to call and be convinced that they will find GREAT BARGAINS, such as never have been offered before. Call and see that this true what we have stated. S. ADLER & NEWBOUER, jan31 No. 19 Spring Street.

MILWAUKEE & WATERTOWN RAILROAD!

Change of Hours.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, March 3d, 1856, Passenger Trains on this Road will run as follows:

GOING EAST—1st Train leaves Watertown at 6.45 A. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 9.15 A. M., and making direct connection at the Junction, with morning train for Madison and Janesville. Accommodation Train leaves Watertown at 2.30 P. M., and arriving at Milwaukee at 6.40 P. M.

GOING WEST—Accommodation Train leaves Milwaukee at 9.40 A. M. making direct connection at Junction with trains from Madison and Janesville, and arrive at Watertown at 1.50 P. M. Second Train leaves Milwaukee at 4.40 P. M., arriving at Watertown at 7.20 P. M.

AT WATERTOWN, stages connect for Milford, Jefferson, Portland, Sun Prairie, Dodge Centre, Juneau, Otsego, Wyocena, Columbus, Portage City, Baraboo, &c.

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OF
NOYES, FLERTZHEIM & CO.,
219 and 221 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

N. F. & CO., beg to inform their friends and customers that they are now prepared to exhibit their superb and most extensive stock of Furniture and Upholstery goods, made in the very best style, and of the best materials, in their manufactory, **and under their own supervision.**

Our stock now comprises a variety of Goods, very rarely offered to the public, of low priced, medium, and fine Furniture, and we are confident that the pains we are always taking to satisfy our customers will be appreciated as heretofore. Having been awarded at the State Fairs, in preference to all competition, the sole and only diplomas for home-made furniture, we intend to sustain the proud position hitherto enjoyed by us.

Our unsurpassed facilities for manufacturing every quantity and quality of Goods pertaining to our line, enable us to offer them at the very lowest prices, and on the most accommodating terms; and we shall continue to adhere to our old principle of

Quick Sales and Small Profits!

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Wm A Noyes *Augustus Flertzheim* *Geo K Kimball*
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THE FARMERS AND MILLERS BANK, 204 East Water St. Milwaukee, Wis., First Door North of Wis. St

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Exchange bought and sold at favorable rates.

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BY THE BARREL—at No. 24 Spring Street, opposite American House. nov13t

100 TONS **SUPERIOR FAMILY SOAP.**—We are now manufacturing largely our extra quality of Soap, to which we invite the attention of dealers. HOWELL & KLINE, dec4d3m 10 Spring Street

A. F. CLARK'S
REAL ESTATE COLUMN!

FARMS AND COUNTRY RESIDENCES.

A BEAUTIFUL PLACE on the South Point, 4 miles from the city limits, with a good house and barn and 600 fruit trees in bearing; 40 acres—30 under cultivation and 10 in timber, for sale low.

A farm of 40 acres, 1¼ from the city limits, on a plank road, for sale at $125 per acre—easy terms.

A form of 30 acres, 2½ miles from this city.

A farm of 40 acres, 3 miles from the city.

A farm of 171 acres, 14 miles from the city, price $2,500—easy terms.

A handsome residence, with 47 acres, adjoining the city, on a plank road, fine garden and fruit, for sale at a bargain.

The above, together with many other larger farms, for sale by A. F. CLARKE, feb18 Land Agent.

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2 BRICK HOUSES, on Main Street, between Martin and Biddle, pleasantly situated, and not far from business—for sale low.

2 new frame houses, ½ lot each on Marshal Street.
2 frame houses, ½ lot each, on Cass street.
2 small frame houses, ½ lot each, on Cass street.
1 large brick house, with gas, water works, &c., and 45 feet of land, on Division Street.
1 frame house and 2 lots, in the 2d Ward, for sale at a bargain.

Several country houses in the vicinity of Milwaukee, with from 30 to 50 acres of land each. For sale by feb18 A. F. CLARKE, Land Agent.

Nazro & Co.'s Adv'ts.

White Lead.

10 TEN TONS OF WHITE LEAD—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Glass.

1,500 BOXES 8x10 and other sizes, Pittsburg and French Glass—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Tin, Plate and Sheet Iron.

1,000 BOXES ASSORTED TIN PLATE; 500 bdls. common and R. G. Sheet Iron, for sale by (mar3) HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Pig Tin, Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, Bar Lead,

ANTIMONY, Babbett Metal, Pig Copper, Copper Bolts, Iron Copper, Brass and Annealed Wire—all sizes,—Iron and Tind Rivets—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Boiler Iron.

10 TONS ENGLISH BOILER IRON; 5 tons American Boiler Iron—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Braziers' Copper,

OF all thicknesses, and Tind Copper—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Razors and Razor Strops.

JUST received a splendid lot of genuine Razors; Wade & Butcher's, and Wostenholm's Razors; also, a new article of Razor Strop—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

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COLT'S REVOLVERS—all sizes, with or without cases; also, Warner's, Allen's and Maynard's Patent Primers; Whitney's celebrated Seven-Shooters; Robbins & Lawrence and Volcanic Repeating Pistols, Single and double Barrel; Pocket and Duelling Pistols, with Bulleted Caps—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

Breech-Loading Rifles.

A splendid article—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

To Cabinet-Makers and Upholsterers.

WE keep always on hand a large stock of Hair Cloth, Curled Hair Moss, Chair and Sofa Springs, Castors, Furniture Knobs, Locks, Screws, &c., which we are selling at the lowest figures—at mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.

To House-Keepers.

WE keep constantly on hand a large stock of House-Furnishing Goods, such as Brass and Enameled Kettles, French Ware, Sauce and Bake Pans, Waffle Irons, Gridirons, Meat Cutters, Sausage Stuffers, Knife and Fork and Spoon Boxes, Brittania and Planished Tea and Coffee Pots, &c.; also, a splendid article of Sad Irons—For sale by mar3 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO., *Nazro's Building.*

The Old Stand, Still in full Blast.

HAVERSTICK, BENNETT & CO.,

WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION of Merchants to their large Stock of

Foreign Staple
AND
DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

Now on Hand, which they offer to to the Trade,

Cheap for Cash or Good Approved Paper,

At their OLD STAND,
NO. 141 EAST WATER STREET,
MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN

250 Bales Atlantic, A. Pacific, Stark, Nashua, Bedford and other Sheetings,

200 Bales Batts,	100 Bales Stark A. Bags,
100 " Wadding,	150 " Star "
150 " Wicking,	50 " Ticks,
100 " Twine,	25 " White and red Flannels,

120 Cases Prints, Merrimack, Cocheco, Dunnell's, Phillips, Allens and other well known Brands,

20 Cases Kentucky Jeans,	75 Cases Denims,
10 " Satinetts,	10 " Canton Flannels,
50 " Bleach'd Sheetings	25 " Yankee Notions,

And everything else usually found in a Dry Goods Jobbing House.

To the Merchants we would extend the invitation generally, to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing, as we are satisfied that we can and will sell goods as cheap as the cheapest, and give you an entire new Stock to purchase from.

At the Old Stand, No. 141 East Water Street.
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FRENCH & BRO'S,
Have purchased the entire Stock of
DRY GOODS,
—AND—
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Formerly owned by *CROSBY, FOOTE & GORDON* and will continue the business at the old stand,

NO. 142 EAST WATER STREET,

In the style and firm of

FRENCH, BROTHER & CO.,

Who would be happy to see the old customers of Crosby, Foote & Gordon, and would invite the attention of all merchants in this State, and the whole west, to our Stock, which will, at all times, be complete, and we feel confident that our facilities are such that we can offer inducements to the trade equal to any house in the west.

FRENCH, BRO. & CO.
Milwaukee, January 23, 1856. jan25

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HULL, JANES & CO.,
217 East Water Street,
MILWAUKEE, - - - - WISCONSIN.

Dealers in Exchange, Bank Notes, Coin, Negotiable Business Paper, &c., &c., &c.

WILL MAKE COLLECTIONS in this city without charge, and on all accessible points in the country. Proceeds remitted at the lowest rates of Exchange.

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Interest paid on Special Deposites.—Our Mr. Hull will devote his attention to negotiations for the purchase and sale of Real Estate, Mortgage Bonds, Stocks, &c., and investments by Loans on Landed and other Securities, on Commission only. mar7

YOUNG'S HALL.
PEREMPTORY SALE OF
Millinery and Fancy Goods!!

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING PURCHASED, at Sheriffs Sale, the entire Stock of

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Lately belonging to Mrs. E. A. Wheeler, offers it for sale,

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FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY MRS W.,

AT 50 PER CENT. BELOW NEW-YORK PRICES.

The Stock is Mostly New and in Good Order;

And comprises a great variety of

Fashionable Millinery and Fancy Goods.

The sale will commence on **MONDAY, March 3d,** continuing daily for six weeks, from 8½ A. M. till 6 P. M. LEWIS BLAKE.
Milwaukee, March 1, 1856. mar1dtf

ARTISTIC CURIOSITIES in Embroideries and Laces, at (sept4) THE BEE HIVE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

WISCONSIN TELEGRAPH LINE.

REPORTED FOR THE FREE DEMOCRAT.

WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

MADISON, March 18.

ASSEMBLY.—*Bills Introduced.*—Mr. Noyes—For a State Road; also, a ferry across Wisconsin River.

Mr. Weaver—To amend charter of Milwaukee & Lisbon Plankroad Co.—Passed, under suspension of rules.

Mr. Head—To incorporate Edgerton & Columbus R. R. Co.

Mr. Knowlton—To appropriate $3,000 to D. E. Elcott.

Mr. Head—To authorize School District No 1 in Vienna, Dane Co., to levy a tax.

Mr. Davis—To incorporate the Portage City & Baraboo Plank and Gravel Road Co.

Bills Passed—To establish a road between Prairie du Chien and Fort Winnebago.

Relating to dockets of Justices of the Peace in the First and Seventh Wards of Milwaukee.

To amend Milwaukee City Charter.

Respecting the Harbor pier.

To regulate the platting of lots in Milwaukee.

To incorporate the Wisconsin & Michigan Transit Company.

To incorporate the city of Beaver Dam

To amend act regulating the terms of Brown County Circuit Courts.

To amend the charter of the village of Appleton.

Most of the session was spent in Committee of the Whole—Mr. Walker in the Chair.

Adjourned to 3 P. M.

SENATE—Met at 10 A. M.

Bills Introduced.—By Mr. Kelsey to incorporate the Berlin Hydraulic Company.

By Mr. Rose to incorporate the City of Beaver Dam—passed under suspension of rules.

By Mr. Giles to authorize the Secretary of State to audit the accounts of the Madison Gas Light and Coke Co.

By Mr. Pier to appropriate $23,000 to Defray State Prison expenses for the current year.

Resolution by Mr. Harvey ordering 3000 copies of the proceedings in the Supreme Court in the case of Bashford vs. Barstow. Laid over under the rules.

Bills Passed:

To amend charter of village of Appleton.

To incorporate the German School of Milwaukee.

To incorporate the 4th principal meridan Rail Road Co.

Several bills were considered in Committee of the whole; Mr. Kelsey in the chair.

Adjourned.

The Supreme Court met this morning.

Attorney General Smith read a paper, dismissing the case of the State vs. Barstow.

Mr. Howe and Mr. Knowlton argued against it.

The Court adjourned until 2 P. M.

MADISON March 17.

ASSEMBLY met at 3 o'clock.

Speaker Stark in the Chair.

Mr. Greulich presented a joint resolution, relative to stockbridge and Muncie Indians.—Also to amend act of incorporation, relative to shade trees.

Mr. Walker offered a resolution to publish 5000 copies of the reports on the gubernatorial question.

Bill to incorporate the Manitowoc and Fond du Lac R. R. Co., passed.

A number of bills were passed *en masse*, and also several memorials.

The bill prescribing the manner of application for pardon of murder was passed—Ayes 42, Noes 32.

The bill to pay General Smith $3000, for completing Documentory History was passed—Ayes 35, Noes 29.

A number of appropriation bills for special purposes were passed.

The bill to amend the act incorporating Kenosha and Beloit Railroad was also passed.

Mr. Woodman introduced substitute for a bill to authorize current bank notes to be received for taxes.

The House then went into committee of the whole.

After some progress the Committee reported, and the House adjourned.

The Senate met at 3 P. M.

Bills Introduced—By Mr. Sholes to amend the charter of the Western Union Telegraph, passed under suspension of rules.

By Mr. Hadley to amend the Police Code of Milwaukee.

Also an act authorizing First Presbyterian Church in Milwaukee to borrow money.

Amending charter of Milwoukee & Horicon R. R. Co.

Also to incorporate the Milwakee & Raymond Plank Road Co.

Bills passed to extend the time for the payment of interest on School Lands, and to remit certain for forfeitures.

To extend the right of suffrage to colored persons—15 to 7.

In reference to the writ of *mandamus.*

Adjourned.

Nothing done in Supreme Court to-day.

REMOVAL.

BERLINER & BRUNO,
Manufacturers of the celebrated
Badger Safes!
Have removed to
No. 221, East Water Street, Milwaukee.
—THESE SAFES ARE—
WARRANTED TO STAND FIRE EVERY TIME

See certificates of Bankers and others.

We can furnish them on short notice and on reasonable terms. BERLINER & BRUNO,
Importers, Produce and Commission Merchants
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STONE-CUTTERS WANTED.

Three Temperate and Industrious Stone CUTTERS can find permanent employment, at remunerative prices, by addressing N. E. Allen, Fox Lake, Dodge Co., Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, February 6, 1856. feb6d2twtf

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J. HOOD'S.
MILWAUKEE : : : : : : WISCONSIN.

OFFICE at the La Crosse Railroad Depot and No. 4 Spring street, Milwaukee—for selling on Commission Wheat, Corn, Rye, Oats, Barley, and Country Produce of all kinds, and solicit consignments from Country Merchants and others.

Owners may rely upon having their business attended to with scrupulous honesty and dispatch, the highest market price obtained for their produce and the proceeds promptly remitted, or applied as directed.

☞ Cash Advances made on Produce, where parties desire to hold for a change in the market.

Grain stored for any length of time.

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FINE PEBBLE, PERISCOPIC GLASSES, in 18 K. Gold Frames. Periscopic Glasses in Silver frames. Also, Common Glasses, in Gold, Steel and Silver frames. Just rec'd at [jan29] LOOMIS & HOE'S.

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NEW JEWELRY STORE!
LOOMIS & HOES,
201 East Water Street, Milwaukee,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
Watches, Jewelry, Silver Ware & Fancy Goods.

WE INVITE THE SPECIAL ATTENTION of the public to our extensive assortment of goods in the above line. Our aim is to sell **Fine Reliable Goods,** at the Lowest Cash Price, and

All Goods Warranted as Represented.

Persons desirous of presenting holiday gifts to their friends, will find choice goods to select from, among which are the following:

WATCHES,

Extra fine Chronometers, chronometric lly adjusted, perfect time-keepers; Gold and Silver cased English Patent and Skeleton Levers, finely adjusted for Railway time keepers. Magic cased French and Swiss Anchor Levers; Duplex and Cylinder Escapement; Ladies' Fine Gold **Watches, &c.**

JEWELRY!

Full setts of beautiful Jewelry in Diamond, Florentine, Mosaic, Cameo, Lava, Gold Stone, and gold-frosted work. Ear Drops, Lockets, Neck, Chatelaine and Guard Chains, Fob and Vest Chains, Seals, Keys, Bracelets, Slides, Clasps, Studs, Sleeve Buttons, Pens and Pencils. Diamond, Ruby, Opal, Emerald, Garnet, Pearl and fine Gold Rings, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Medallions, Charms, Pens and Pencils, tooth-picks, &c.

SILVER WARE!

Tea Setts, Sugar Sifters, Goblets, Soup Ladles, Napkin Rings, Card Cases, Tobacco Boxes, Table and Dessert Forks, Knives, Table, Dessert, Tea, Cream, Sugar, Mustard and Salt Spoons, &c. Also, Pie, Tea, Butter and Fish Knives.

PLATED WARE.

Bread, Cake and Card Baskets, Tea Setts, Sugar Bowls, Candlesticks, Snuffers and Trays, Servers, Coffee Urns, Butter Coolers, Egg Stands, Toast Racks, Knives, Cups, Forks, Spoons, Boquet Holders, Salt Cellars, &c.

Fancy Goods.

Papier Mache Work Stands and Dressing Cases, work Boxes, Reticules, Watch and Jewelry Stands, Sewing Birds, Coral Beads, Fine Fans, Satchels, Port Monaies, Fine Card Cases, Travelling Alarm Clocks, French satchels, Compasses, Spy Glasses, Opera Glasses, Brushes, Scissors, Needles, Pins, Shell Combs, Fine Perfumery & Extracts, Cake Boxes, and Fancy Envelopes for wedding parties.

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Fine French Repeating, in marble and bronze cases, American Clocks, all patterns, 30 hour and 8 day, with or without alarm; also an American Clock, new construction, expressly for Banks, Churches, Halls, R. R. Offices, &c., runs 33 days, and are accurate time-keepers.

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Carhart & Needham's unequalled Melodeons, fine Guitars, rare old Violins, Accordeons, Flutinas, Flutes, best Violin and Guitar Strings in market, Tuning Forks, Rosin, Violin Bows, Pegs, Bridges, &c.

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N. B.—Chronometers, fine watches of all kinds, clocks, jewelry, music boxes and accordeons repaired in the best possible manner, or any part made new, if required, and warranted.

Engraving Beautifully Executed

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201 East Water Street.

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The Stock is the largest and most desirable ever brought to the western market.

New Goods,

Of our own importation and manufacture, which will be sold to the trade at the lowest New York Jobbing prices.

JEWELERS, MERCHANTS AND PEDDLERS,

Will do well to call before going East, or purchasing elsewhere. Among this stock may be found a full assortment of WATCHES,

From the most celebrated manufacturers. Also, the latest patterns of **JEWELRY OF EVERY KIND.**

WATCH GLASSES, and MATERIALS; also, WATCH-MAKERS' TOOLS, of every variety.

The subscriber is thankful for past favors, and requests a continuance of them.

Milwaukee, December 28, 1855. dec28

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READ WHAT MR. BOYDEN SAYS:—

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25 BBLS. OF SELECTED APPLES—at (feb27) BARRON & HOYT's.

50 BUS. WHITE MESHANOCKS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

5 BUS. WHITE BEANS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

51 HEADS OF CABBAGE—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

300 LBS. SUGAR-CURED HAMS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

FRESH GROCERIES of all kinds—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

THE BEST OF FAMILY FLOUR—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

ALL KINDS OF DRIED FRUIT—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

P. S.—All kinds of food constantly on hand, and all goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge. by—(feb27) BARRON & HOYT.

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Extensive Alterations,
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And save, at least, TEN PER CENT on your purchases. Among our Stock can be found the following:

10 cases Spring Prints,
5 do 11-4 Sheeting, Cheap,
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5 do 5-4 Pillow Casing,
5 do 6-4 do do
Linen Sheetings, all prices,
do Pillow Casing,
100 pieces Irish Linens, from 1s to 12s,
50 dozen Linen Napkins, all prices,
500 Linen Table Cloths, do do
10 pieces 4-4 Snow Drop Table Linen,
Brown Table Linen,
30 dozen do do Cloths.

A full and complete assortment of ***HOUSEWIFERY GOODS,*** which we offer to our customers as **Cheap as can be found west of New-York.**

20 cases Dimitie, very low,
50 pieces Drapery Muslin,
300 Marseilles Quilts, from 12s to $9.00.

☞ We will be receiving New Goods for the next three months, and all we ask, is a call, to convince our customers that the Bargains are to be had at the Metropolitan Store. CHANDLER & JENNINGS,
mar5dtf 199 East Water Street.

STOVES, SCALES,
—AND—
SAFES!!

PERSONS WISHING TO BUY the best stove in the world, will be sure to get *Forest Oak, or King of Stoves.* I will warrant either of them to give the most perfect satisfaction, and if they do not, may be returned after two mos trial. I have received during the past month 200 boxes Fairbank's Scale, and can now furnish any size, from ¼ oz to 10 ton scale. Safes, of Herring's manufacture—I have between 80 and 100 on hand, and sell them as well as Scales, at Manufacturers' Prices.

Milwaukee, Nov. 27, 1855. LANSING BONNELL,
nov28daw 89 and 91 East Water Street.

MILWAUKEE
Boot, Shoe,
—AND—
LEATHER STORE!
95 EAST WATER STREET.

THE SUBSCRIBER has a large and well assorted stock of Goods on hand, and is daily receiving fresh goods from his own Factory.

He can and will sell

Lower Than Any Other House in the City.

☞ Just received—

Ladies' white and black Satin Slippers and Boots.
" Gaiter Boots, with heels, Philadelphia and New York styles.
" Glue Kid heel Gaiters, Baltimore style.
" Kid Buskins and Slippers, latest New York style
nov30daw JOSIAH NICHOLS.

H. A. FOOTE,
DEALER IN
HARDWARE AND STOVES!
AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

No. 153 East Water Street
SIGN OF THE ANVIL.

Successor to W. H. Newton, at the old stand of W. H. Byron & Co. aug31daw

New Books.
JUST RECEIVED.

ERNEST LINWOOD, by Caroline Lee Hentz; Rachel Gray, by Julia Kavanagh; Edith Hale, by Thrace Talmon; Spiritualism Against Christianity, by Daniels; Adventures of my Cousin Smooth, by Timothy Templeton; Maginn's Miscellanies, by Mackenzie; Annals of Scientific Discovery 1856; Charlemont, by Simms; Element of Logic, by Tappan; Wolfden, by J. B.; Gillie's History of Greece, Standard Edition.
" " " Rome,
For sale at (mar4) A. WHITTEMORE & CO'S.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE OPINION OF A LADY,

Who knows Mr. WEVER, and has bought Goods at

WEVER'S

DRY GOODS PALACE ! !

—AND—

CARPET ROOMS !

158 East Water Street.

COME to the *Palace*, oh, come there with me,
Where Fashion, 'mid splendor, still holds her levee,
And somebody tells you that Beauty is sold
To Youth or to Age, in exchange for gold ;
And their Lady-like charms through life may prolong,
In robes like a Queen's, which sell for a song.
They've Shawls for the taste, and Shawls for the storm,
They've Cloaks which fall softly, so rich, and so warm :
They've Carpets of Wilton, of Velvet, and Brussels ;
They've Laces, and 'Broideries, Ribbons, and Tassels ;
They've sombre-hued Goods for the weeping and sad
They've suits like the sunshine, for merry and glad ;
They've fabrics for millions, and hold their levee
For those who pay tribute, or come but to see.
If Palace of Dry Goods, so wondrous grand,
Can be aught but a fable, of old Fairyland ;
But those who know WEVER, can't doubt for a minute
This glorious Palace, and all that is in it

Yours, C. H. G.

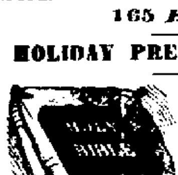
Now I blush indeed I do. What modest, married man would not? Yet I console myself with the idea that Beauty always pays tribute to Worth and Merit. Thanking sincerely yet humbly my fair contributor, I trust that by honesty, uprightness and my gentlemanly bearing, I may ever command her respect.

nov27 F. M. WEVER, 158 *East Water Street.*

SABBATH SCHOOL DEPOSITORY,

165 *East Water Street.*

HOLIDAY PRESENTS, GIFT BOOKS, &c.



BOYS' AND GIRLS' Scrap Book ; Cottages of the Plain ; Clara Douglass, or, The Unrequited Love of a Mother ; Sketches of Characters for Sabbath School Teachers ; Little Missionary, or, Sketch of the Life of Gracia Olive Leonard ; Irish Amy, or, the Girl in the Street ; Bible Stories for Children ; Memoirs of a Doll ; Alice Clifford and her Day-Dreams ; Life of Adam Clark, LL.D. ;—Litty Brown—Series by the author of "Sunny Side" ;—Home of the Mutineers ; Catacombs of Rome ; The Great Question, or, Will you consider the Subject of Personal Religion—by Henry A. Boardman, D. D. ; Elizabeth Fry, or, The Christian Philanthropist.

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Bird's Eye View of the Holy Land, as it would appear to a person passing over it in the air, colored, 37½ cents; in Gilt Frame, $2.25

Sabbath School Library, each volume numbered—$2.50 $5,00, $10,00, to $150—the last being a full sett of American S. S. Union's publications.

J. W. VAIL, Agent Am. S. S. Union,
dec26tf 165 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss In Probate.
MILWAUKEE CO. COURT, }

In the matter of the Estate of DARIUS DISBROW, deceased.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this Court, by the Petition of Edith Disbrow, Administratrix of the Estate of Darius Disbrow, deceased, that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hand of the said Administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and it is necessary to sell all the Real Estate of the said deceased for the payment of such debts. It is therefore ordered, That all persons interested in the said Estate appear before the undersigned, Judge of the County Court for said County, at the Probate Office, in the city of Milwaukee, on the 30th day of January, 1856, at ten o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any they have, why license should not be granted to the said Administratrix to sell so much of the Real Estate of the said deceased as may be necessary to pay such debts. And it is further ordered, That a copy of the above order be published in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, for at least four successive weeks previous to the day of hearing the said application.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1855.

CHAS E. JENKINS, County Judge.

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THE WELL-KNOWN OLD FIRM OF

HENRY NIEDECKEN & CO.

No. 243 East Water St.. Next Door of Postoffice.

HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE AND most carefully selected stock of

STATIONERY, FLAT and other Paper, *Of Every Kind and Variety.*

Their large stock of

BLANK AND ACCOUNT BOOKS !

Of every description, are all of **their own manufacture**, and are FAR SUPERIOR to those generally sold here of Eastern make. They have also on hand

The Largest Binders' Stock in the State !

Which they offer low for cash to Binders in the country. Their **BINDERY !**

—AND—

Blank-Book Manufactory,

Is so well known, and enjoys the custom and patronage of the Wisconsin Merchants and Incorporated Companies to such a degree, that the proprietors would only thankfully solicit the continuance of their liberal patronage. Particular attention paid to setts of books and other necessaries for

Railroad Co's, Insurance do., Real Estate Brokers, Banks, State, County and City Officers, &c., &c.

HENRY NIEDECKEN. CHARLES GEISSBERG.
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J. HARDY,

IMPORTER AND GENERAL DEALER IN

SHFFIELD CUTLERY,

239 East Water Street, opposite the Walker House.

ALWAYS on hand, a full assortment of Ivory Bone, Buffalo and Cocoa handled Table, Dessert and Carver Knives and Forks, Round-of-Beef Slicers, Bread, Butter and Fruit Knives ; an endless varity of Pen and Pocket Knives, from one to 32 blades, Razors, Pruning and Budding Knives, Scissors, &c., &c. Imported direct from his son's Manufactory, Sheffield, England. Also, Silver Plated, Albata, and Britannia Ware, Japanned, Brass, and Britannia Candlesticks, Carpenters' Tools, Files, Saws, &c.

N. B.—The celebrated English Cast Steel Muley Mill Saws, which, for quality and durability, are warranted superior to any other now in use. jan14

MILWAUKEE BOARD OF TRADE.
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☞ROOMS, in Furlong's Block, East Water St. ap4dtf

SILVER PLATED WARE.

BLAIR & PERSONS have just opened a large variety of the very newest styles of Silver Plated Tea Setts, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Molasses Pitchers, Napkin Rings, Cake Knives, Pie Knives, Forks, Spoons, &c. &c., manufactured by Rodgers Brothers, the best manufacturers of this kind of goods in the world. We intend to keep a large stock of these goods constantly on hand, and will sell them low.

july13 BLAIR & PERSONS.

PARTNERSHIP. **I HAVE THIS DAY** associated with myself in business, Messrs. Lewis E. Jones & Charles R. Jones, for the purpose of continuing the Clothing and Merchant Tailoring business, at the old stand of Rogers & Dinnin, under the name and style of Jones, Dinnin & Jones. JOHN E. DINNIN.
October 23, 1855. oct25

A CARD !

THE UNDERSIGNED would take the opportunity in withdrawing from business, to return his heart-felt thanks to his old friends and customers, for their past favors, and would recommend to your favor the firm of Jones, Dinnin & Jones, as being gentlemen in whom you can place confidence, and who will feel greatly favored with a continuance of your custom.

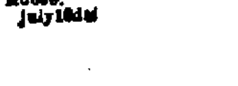
oct25 I. P. ROGERS.

Milwaukee and Lisbon Plank Road Comp'y.

NOTICE is hereby given that next annual meeting of Stockholders of the Milwaukee & Lisbon Plank Road Company for the election of seven Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, in the Second Ward of the city of Milwaukee, on the first Monday of February next, it being the 4th day of said month. By order of the Board of Directors.

L. COMSTOCK,
jan15dtd&w1t Sec'y of M. & L. P. R. Co.

New Livery Stable.



HAVING leased the large brick stable of P. Kane & Sons, in the rear of the American House, I am ready, at the shortest notice, to furnish the best of HORSES with Saddles, single or double Carriages, with or without drivers, and those that cannot fail to please.

Apply at the stable, or at the Office of the American House.

july18dtf G. B. KANE.

INSURANCE NOTICES.

Commercial Insurance Co

Office No. 9, Martin's Block, Milwaukee:
CAPITAL $500,000, ($100,000 PAID IN.)

THIS COMPANY is now ready to receive application for Marine and Fire Insurance.

We are prepared to take risks on all kinds of Merchandize, Specie, Bank Notes, Bills of Exchange, Jewelry, &c., in transit, by water or land, to or from Milwaukee, or elsewhere. All persons desirous of negotiating Marine or fire risks, are respectfully invited to apply at this office.

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CHICAGO CITY INSURANCE COMPANY !
—OF—
CHICAGO, - - - - ILLINOIS.
CAPITAL, $150,000,

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Mercantile Fire and Marine Insurance Connpany
Patch's Block, Scott St., Covington, Ky.
CHARTERED CAPITAL, - $500,000.

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Fire Insurance, Perpetual or Limited, made in town or country, on every description of property.
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☞Office in Preusser's new brick building, corner of Mason and East Water street, where the undersigned will attend promptly to the application of all persons desiring policies in either of the above mentioned Companies. (oct23) A. BADE, Agent.

UNITED STATES INSURANCE CO.
Office No. 2 Martin's Block,
MILWAUKEE - - - - WISCONSIN
CAPITAL $800,000. 100,000 PAID IN

This Company is now fully organized and prepared to transact a General Marine and Fire Insurance business.

This Company will take Riskes on all kinds of Merchandise, Specie, Bank Notes, Bills of Exchange, Jewelry, Bullion, &c., in course of Transportation by Land or Water, to and from Milwaukee or elsewhere. Also Fire Risks.

The Patronage of those desiring to effect either Marine or Fire Insurance is respectfully solicited.

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WHITE LEAD.

10 TONS WHITE LEAD, received and for sale by
nov13 H. J. NARRO & CO.

GLASS.

1,500 BOXES 8x10 AND OTHER SIZES GLASS, for sale by (nov13) H. J. NAYRO & CO.

TIN PLATE AND SHEET IRON !

1,000 BOXES ASSORTED TIN PLATE ; 500 bbls Common and R. G. Sheet Iron—for sale by
nov13 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

TO CARPENTERS !

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED AN ASSORTMENT of Carpenter's Tools—Planes, Plows, and tools of all kinds—Try Squares, Chisels, Guages, and an endless variety of all kinds. Our assortment is larger, and the Goods superior to any sold in this City. Please, call and examine at (nov13) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

HOUSE TRIMMINGS !

WE WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION OF HOUSE Builders to our stock of House Trimmings. We have some very elegant goods and a great variety, which we are selling at the lowest figures, at
nov13 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO's

CLOAKS.

RECEIVED by American Express—15 Moire Antique and Black Silk Velvet trimed ; 8 Black Cloth, heavy Plush trimmed—superior article. The finest Cloaks we have opened this season.

'Tis generally concluded we keep the only fashionable style of Cloaks in the city.

Dry Goods Palace,
158 East Water Street,
nov22 F. M. WEVER.

LAND OFFICE.

☞ **7,000 ACRES** of GOOD LANDS, selected three and four years ago for *choice farms* in different parts of Wisconsin. For sale by me in quantities to suit purchasers, on time, for cash, *Land Warrants* or city property.

☞A good team and agent in readiness to convey purchasers and exhibit the lands when desired. Office Ludington's Block. W. P. FLANDERS
Milwaukee, April 16, 1853. ap7tf

CITY MARSHALS OFFICE.—The Office of Marshal O'Brien is in Juneau Block directly over Justice Smith's Office.
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DRY GOODS.

Dutcher & Sexton,

WHOLESALE GROCERY,

103 & 105 East Water Street,

Are now prepared to offer to Merchants, at as low prices as can be bought in any of the Western markets :

350 hhds. N. O. and Porto Rico Sugar,
300 bbls Refined Sugar.
400 bags Coffee,
450 packages green and black Teas,
100 Boxes Tobacco.

And every article necessary to complete a large stock of Groceries.

J. A. DUTCHER. KELLOGG SEXTON.
june20

PLAIN FACTS !

NEW GOODS !!

AT J. C. GRIDLEY'S, 203 EAST WATER STREET
LUDINGTON BLOCK.

TO THE PEOPLE OF WISCONSIN. *I would say,* that I have just received my Stock of New Goods which consists of nearly every article usually kept in a

DRY GOODS AND GROCERY STORE !

and for quantity, quality, style and variety, is unsurpassed by anything heretofore brought to Milwaukee. In regard to prices, my Mottois, "*Cheap as the Cheapest—One Price and One Price only.*" Below we enumerate some portion of articles in our Stock, and would here remark that all and every one about to make purchases, are hereby and herein invited to remember me with a call, that they may know the facts in the case and be governed accordingly.

DRESS GOODS !

A splendid assortment of French and English Merinos, Parametta Plain, Plaid and Changeable Alpacas, Alpaca Lustres, Lustred Poplins, Cashmeres, Mouse De Laines, Black and Blue, Black and Colored Silks, Ginghams and Prints in *endless variety.* Drawer Goods—Plain, Plaid and Striped Swiss Muslin, Plain, Plaid and Striped Jaconett do., Mull and Book Muslin and Bishop Lawns, Linen Cambric, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Irish Linens, Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins Hosiery and Gloves Ladies' Merino, Worsted, Cashmere, Silk and Cotton Hosiery, Gents' Woolen, Merino, Linen, Cashmere and Cotton Hose and Half Hose, Ladies' and Gents' Black, White and Colored Kid Gloves, do do Silk, Merino, Cashmere, Cotton and Lisle Thread Gloves.

Shawls in Great Variety !

Long and Square, of Cashmere, Brocha, Mous De Laine, Crape, Silk, &c.; Mantillas, Visettes, Beautiful Silks, and a splendid assortment of colors and qualities of Ladies' Clothsfor Cloaks, &c. Rich Colors in Plaid Stripes, &c. for Children's Clothes.

DOMESTIC GOODS !

Brown and Bleached Sheetings and Shirtings, Canton Flannels, *Plaid and Plain Linseys.* Bed-Ticking, Red, White and Yellow Flannel, Apron Checks, Denims, Ginghams, Stripe Shirtings, Blue Jeans, Brown and Bleached Cotton Table Diapers, Scotch and Russia Diapers, Brown Bleached and Colored Jeans, Bagging, Seamless Bags, Cotton Batts, Wadding, Cotton Yarn, Burlaps, Crash, together with Hop Sacking Cloths, &c., &c., all of which I will sell cheaper than ever! In order to convince the public that I mean all I say, I will enumerate some Goods and annex Prices : Good Brown Shirtings at 6¼ cents ; Good Stripe Shirtings at 10c ; Kentucky Jeans at 25 cts.; Blue and Orange Prints at 9c. On hand, 2,000 pieces Prints at 6½ cts. per yard, as good or better than others sell for one shilling. *Call soon for Bargains.*

GROCERIES !

I can say, *at alltimes,* can be had at my Store, *GOOD TEAS*—Young and Old Hyson, Hyson Skin, Oolong. Imperial, Gunpowder, and several Grades Black Teas. I guaranty to sell as good Young Hyson for 4s 6d as others sell for 6s. Good Sugar for 7 cents per lb., Molasses for 3s. per gal., Coffee 1s. per lb., and Spices, &c., proportionally low.

Also, on hand, for Medicinal purposes, **Brandies and Wines,** of pure vinousvirtue, warranted unadulterated. Tobaccos, Snuff, and Superior Spanish Cigars.

Pickles, Jellies, Syrups, Pickled Oysters, Lobsters, &c.

I am agent for MINER & HORTON'S

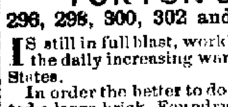
CELEBRATED PLOUGHS,

From Peekskill, N. Y., of which I have always a full assortment on hand, with all the castings to match, and I do not hesitate to say, that all who have used them approve and will use no others. I exhibited one of M. & H.'s Improved Ploughs at our recent State Fair, and was awarded by the Committee a Premium on it as the Best Plough on Exhibition for the purposes intended. Farmers and others are invited to call and see it ; also to examine our assortment of Agricultural implements.

☞ I am very much obliged to my Friends, Custom tomers and the Public for past Patronage, and will endeavor, by strict attention and a straightforward course, to retain their confidence, and notwithstanding reports to the contrary, I intend to remain and consider myself permanently located at the *LUDINGTON BLOCK, No. 203 East Water St.*, where all are invited to call, see and examine for yourselves.

JOHN C. GRIDLEY.
Milwaukee, Oct. 18, 1854. oc13ld&wo

THE OLD EAGLE GOING IT WITH A RUSH

The  **Eagle**

STEAM FOUNDRY

OF

TURTON & SERCOMB,

296, 298, 300, 302 and 304, West Water Street

IS still in full blast, working day and night to supply the daily increasing wants of the Badger and other States.

In order the better to do this the proprietors have erected a large brick Foundry in addition to their former premises. They have added to their stock of Tools a large Planeing Machine or Shaping Machine, three Lathes, and a machine for making bolts, and are now putting in a Steam Engine of — horse power to drive the whole, thereby adding to their former facilities for the successful carrying on of the Foundry, Machine, Engine, and Blacksmithing business. They never were in a better position for doing business, and defy competion in any department.

In regard to the character of the work got up by this,

The Oldest Establishment in the State,

the Proprietors refer to that in successful operation thro' the country as their best recommendation, as it can speak for itself. All they can say is, that they are both PRACTICAL MECHANICS, and know how work should be done as well as the next man. They continue to manufacture **Flour and Saw Mill Gearing and Steam Engines,** on the most approved principle.

They have always on hand a large stock of BRASS WORK, such as *Guage and Cylinder Cocks, Oil Cups & Cocks, and Steam Whistles.* Also *Turton's Files,* which they will sell at the lowest cash prices.

They are also Agents for *Eastman's Patent Steam Guages,* which are well worth the attention of all who use Steam Engines.

In conclusion, they invite a continued share of the patronage of their old friends, and solicit a call from all those in want of Saw or Flouring Mill Work, assuring them that no exertions will be spared to render the Old Eagle worthy of the reputation it has already gained.

Their motto is, "*Excelsior.*"

THOS. TURTON, } PROPRIETORS
JOHN SERCOMB, }

P. S To those friends who have forgotten they owe us, we would say, hand over the dimes, we want cash to pay the printer,

Milwaukee, June 27.

THE BEE HIVE !
146
EAST WATER STREET.

JACKSON & LUXTON,

ARE NOW OPENING

AN ENTIRELY NEW LARGE AND *VARIED ASSORTMENT OF FALL* **Embroideries, Laces, Hosiery, White Goods, and CHILDREN'S WEAR,**

To which general attention is particularly invited.
Milwaukee, August 16, 1855. aug16

CHARLES PREUSSER,

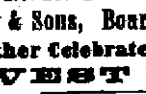
TAKES PLEASURE IN ANnouncing to his friends and customers, and the Public generally, that he has removed to his new and elegant store, built by him expressly for his rapidly increasing business, on the corner of East Water and Mason streets, opposite the Walker House and Post Office, where he is receiving almost daily additions to his large stock of

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Fancy Goods,

In fact, of everything usually to be found in a well assorted business of this kind.

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MERRICK MURPHY, *vs.* LEONARD J. FARWELL, *and* WILLIAM ANTIS. } It satisfactorily appearing to this Court that the defendant, William Antis, is a non-resident of this State. On motion of R. N. Messinger, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the said defendant, William Antis, appear, plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint filed in this cause, on the second day of June next. And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published in the *Free Democrat,* a newspaper in the city and county of Milwaukee, within twenty days of this order, and that said publication be continued six weeks successively, at least once in each week.

Dated, February 28th, 1856.

By the Court,
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